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J. O. HUGHES CANDIDATE FOR SUPERINTENDENT

WIDELY KNOWN MILAM COUNTY CITIZEN AND EDUCATOR WILL MAKE RACE.

J. O. Hughes, widely known Milam county educator and citizen, has announced as a candidate for County Superintendent subject to action of the Democratic Primary July 26, 1924.

Mr. Hughes outlines in brief, the preliminary statement of his candidacy, and will make an active campaign to present to the people a constructive idea of what he will inaugurate in the way of service to the rural schools.

Mr. Hughes statement is as follows:

"I am hereby announcing my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Milam county, Texas.

"Having taught in the rural schools for twenty years, and coming in contact with the needs and conditions of rural life, and having attended the rural schools in my school days, I feel that I can, if elected to this office, be of some service to the country schools.

"The County Superintendent has to do only with the rural schools. He has no supervision over the town school. Therefore, I believe that the County Superintendent should be one who has had experience in and understands the rural situation, and should be elected upon merit alone.

Many of my friends will remember that I made the race for County Superintendent two years ago, and the official returns of the election showed that I failed to reach the goal by only 161 votes.

"I believe in the democratic precedent of rotation in office and in giving full support to those who are elected by the people to fill the offices.

"I served on the County Board of Examiners for a number of years and am familiar with that important phase of the duties of the office.

"My experience as clerk in the office of County Clerk, I believe, will be of much help to me in discharging the clerical duties of the office.

"I am offering my candidacy on whatever merits I may have. My life is open to investigation and criticism, and I solicit your investigation before you decide to cast your ballot.

"I believe that every intelligent voter ought to cast his ballot for the best interest of his community without bias and without prejudice.

"If elected to this office, I shall do all in my power to serve efficiently, and to uplift the country schools."

Mr. Hughes, if elected, will become an immediate advocate of better school buildings for the rural communities, believing that every possible advantage should be given the rural schools for improved facilities and better educational means. Whenever possible Mr. Hughes pledges his active interest in behalf of better improvements for these schools.

In addition to his stand for better buildings, Mr. Hughes advocates better and more advantageous educational opportunities. The crying need of the schools is better prepared teachers and Mr. Hughes will help in every way to supply the best equipped instructors for the rural schools of Milam county.

FERDINAND SCHRIBER.

Ferdinand Schriber, 78, died at his home in west Cameron Monday, Jan. 21, and was buried Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the Catholic Cemetery, Rev. Simon Spinneweber, pastor of St. Monica church, conducting the religious service.

Mr. Schriber was for many years a prosperous farmer in the Marak community. Four years ago, he moved to Cameron to enjoy the comforts of old age which his early industry had made possible. He and his wife were planning to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary next Sunday.

Besides his wife he is survived by the following sons and daughters: Rudolph Schriber of Lubbock, Aug. Schriber of Bartlett, Joe Schriber of Marak, Mrs. Joe Hollis of Marak, Mrs. Fred Matula, Mrs. Rudolph Michalka, Misses Lillie and Mollie Schriber of Cameron.

CHEVROLET ESSAY THEME CONTEST CLOSES FEB. 1

FINE INTEREST SHOWN IN TRANSPORTATION THEME WRITING CONTTES.

The essay writing contest by the White-House Motor Company will close on Feb. 1, 1924. All essays submitted for competition in the big cash prize offer must be filled with the "Economical Transportation Contest" manager before the date specified above.

Judges in the contest will take the essays submitted and will judge them at the proper time as specified in the rules of the contest.

The subject on which all will write who enter the contest will be: "Economical Transportation and How Chevrolet Fills the Demand."

Indications are that a large number of themes will be submitted for the judging. Six prizes in cash are being offered by the White-House Motor Company to be distributed to the successful writers.

If you have not submitted your theme do so at once. Sit down today and write an article on the subject as outlined above and mail to the above address. School students are urged to write for these prizes. The distribution of the money will be made shortly after the winners have been named by the judges.

But a few days remain in which to file this essay and all are urged to send in their themes.

R. A. TRIGGS GOES TO MARKET.

R. A. Triggs, manager, leaves Sunday for St. Louis to buy goods for the Triggs Dry Goods Store. This is Mr. Triggs' regular visit to the eastern centers and as usual he will buy a full line of spring and summer goods. Mrs. Fannie Pullian, head of the millinery and ladies ready to wear departments, will accompany him to select this line.

CANDIDATES MUST FILE NAMES BY JANUARY 25

CITY PRIMARY CANDIDATES MUST FILE WITH FEE ON FRIDAY JAN. 25.

Candidates for city offices must file their names for the ballot with Chairman T. F. Hardy not later than Friday January 25 in order to insure the proper printing of their names on the official ballot for the primary election on Tuesday February 5, 1924.

At a meeting of the committee Tuesday afternoon the fees to be charged were fixed by the committee. All candidates will be required to pay a fee of $4 for a place on the ballot except the candidates for aldermen who will be required to pay a fee of $1.

The ballots are to be printed in time to allow voters to cast ballots if they contemplate leaving the city prior to the election. So far there are no candidates for aldermen, except a few of the old council will stand for re-election.

There are four in the race for City Marshal and two in the race for Mayor.

ED WESTBROOK OUT FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER OFFICE

BEN ARNOLD FARMER ANNOUNCES FOR OFFICE IN PRECINCT NO. 7.

Ed. Westbrook, well known farmer and citizen of Ben Arnold, has announced that he will be a candidate for election to the office of Public Weigher in Precinct No. 7 of Milam county.

The precinct includes the town of Ben Arnold, Burlington, Yarrellton, Walkers Creek and Marakville. Mr. Westbrook announces subject to action of the Democratic Primary which will be held on July 26, 1924.

Mr. Westbrook will make an active campaign for this office and invites the consideration of the public of his candidacy and asks the support of the people of the precinct.

Ms. Westbrook is well known, having lived in the precinct practically all his life, having formerly resided near Marakville and Yarrellton.

Mrs. John Watson visited in Temple Saturday.

Mrs. W. D. Black of Jones Prairie was shopping in Cameron Monday morning.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX

1924 is election year. Pay your poll tax and have a voice in the selection of officers to administer the government in Milam county, and the State of Texas. The last day on which poll tax may be paid is January 31, 1924. Do not wait till the last day but go now and pay your poll tax.

All officers are to be elected next year from City to President. City elections are in February, county elections in July and State elections in July, national election in November. Pay your poll tax now!

ADVANCE POSTED IN PRICE OF MINERVA CRUDE OIL

On January 20 the Owens Refining Company posted an increase in the price of Milam County Oil of 25c per barrel which brings the price to $1.35 in the Minerva field.

On January 1 an icrease of 10 cents was posted and on December 28 an increase of 15 cents was posted. This makes a total increase of 50c per barrel in the price of the oil since December of last year.

The production in the Minerva field for the first 15 days in January was 512 barrels per day.

CAMERON OFFERED BIRTH IN TEXAS ASSOCIATION

CAN TAKE OVER SHERMAN FRANCHISE SAYS LETTER TO ROGERS

Wm. R. Rogers, who had control of the base ball team in Cameron last year, has received a letter from A. B. Johnson, president of the Texas Association Base Ball league, stating that if Cameron cares to enter the Texas association this year it can probably take over the Sherman franchise.

Last year the Texas association was composed of the following towns: Austin, Marlin, Mexia, Waco, Sherman and Corsicana, but the association will not keep Sherman this year because that town is so far removed from all other towns in the organization as to necessitate making trips for the games by railroad instead of by automobile. Cameron is advantageously located for membership in this league, it was pointed out by Mr. Johnson, and wouuld be a desirable member of the association.

No action has yet been taken here in regard to asking for the Sherman franchise, due probably to the fact that Cameron lost money last year on the Cameron Comets, brilliant semi-pro team. As pointed out by Mr. Johnson, however, there would be smaller probability of loss of money in the Texas association because the team would play every day, and Cameron would have the chance to sell the players which they would develop. Last year Marlin sold $3,000 worth of players, Mexia sold $4,500, Waco sold $3,250, Sherman sold $1,500 and Corsicana sold $2,500.

Temple is figuring on this franchise, but is at present split up on the Sunday base ball proposition. The franchise will porbably go to Cameron, Temple or Taylor.

FOUR ALDERMEN STAND FOR RE-ELECTION HERE

OTHERS MAY FILE NAMES ON FRIDAY JANUARY 25 THE LAST DAY.

The Herald is authorized to announce the following as candidates for re-election to the office of alderman respectively in the city of Cameron subject to the Democratic Primary February 5, 1924:

George T. Graves.

Henry M. Hefley.

W. O. Triggs.

C. R. Phillips.

No introduction is necessary for these gentlemen. They have served as aldermen and are well known citizens. Separate metion is not being made for these candidates because of that fact that there will probably be no opposition to them.,

These men are all business men of Cameron and their service on the board of Alderman has been such as to merit the consideration of the public for a second term in office and the people are invited by them and their friends to give them their support.

They have been faithful to the trust and have given their time to the business of the city. Mr. Triggs and Mr. Phillips have served only one term in office and are asking for re-election. Mr. Phillips has been in charge of the street work and would like to finish the big improvements in hand at this time.

All of these gentlemen are deserving in every way, all being of value to the administration of the government and their election would insure a continued good service and sacrifice on behalf of the people.

Mrs. Vernon McIntyre and baby of Marathon are guests in the H. F. Smith home.

LIONS CLUB.

On Tuesday night January 28 open night will be held by the Lions Club of Cameron and wives and friends of the members will be invited to attend the dinner.

A program will be arranged for the occasion and it is expected that a large attendance will be had for the meeting. The meeting will be held at the Bigbee House the regular luncheon place for the club.

TO MY FRIENDS IN CAMERON:

As the report has been circulated that I am fighting my son's candidacy for City Marshal, I take this opportunity to ask my friends to vote for him and can assure you that if elected, he will give you a clean administration.

He is 28 years old and says he does not care to follow his dad's footsteps, always, but may want to make a few of his own, so I will certainly appreciate your supporting him.

Respectfully,

R. L. BATTE.

JURY IS OUT IN THE CASE OF WESSLEY STEVENS

ARGUMENT CONCLUDED WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND CASE GIVEN TO JURY.

The jury in the case of Wessley Stevens, charged by indictment with manufacturing intoxicating liquor went to the jury Wednesday night after argument had been concluded by District Attorney Jack Lewis for the state.

Selection of a jury in the case consumed a great amount of time Tuesday. Attorneys for the defendant Chambers, Wallace & Gillis made a motion to quash a panel of 19 jurymen authorized to be summoned by the sheriff department, alleging that thirteen of the nineteen men summoned were members of the Ku Klux Klan. All jurors were questioned as to whether they were members of the Klan.

Judge Watson overruled the motion and said that membership in the Klan does not bar men from jury service and also anti klan members are not disqualified.

The attorneys after the taking of testimony had been completed made a motion to dismiss the case on the grounds of insufficient evidence. This motion was overruled by the judge. The argument was them begun.

Up to this afternoon no report had been made by the jury in the case and it was expected that the jury would deliberate into the night.

6000 PAY TAX.

More than 6000 poll tax receipts and exemptions have already been issued to citizens of Milam county by Tax Collector W. A. Bonds, the figures showing considerable increase over those for this time last year.

Last year the tax collector issued approximately 7800 poll tax receipts and exemptions, and he believes that the total number this year will be well over 8000.

JIM BRASHEAR IS ON TRIAL IN LIQUOR CASE

ASSEMBLING JURY IN CASE BEGINNING AT NOON THURSDAY.

Jim Brashear charged by indictment with manufacturing intoxicating liquor went on trial this afternoon when the jury for the case was to be selected.

The defendant is charged with manufacturing liquor growing out of the case in which the indictment of Wessley Stevens is involved both being indicted by the same grand jury.

Mr. Brashear and Wessley Stevens both reside on a farm west of Cameron and were arrested on June 7, 1923, in a raid by Sheriff Drue S. Rogers, Deputy N. O. Kennedy and Deputy Will H. Little of Buckholts.

In the course of this raid Deputy Little was shot by Wessley Stevens who was later tried and convicted on an assault charge in the district court the case being now on appeal.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Officers and teachers in Sunday School who are not in their places by 9:40 a. m. are late. How can any one do efficient work while at the same time giving a sinful example of faithfulness in the Lord's work. Our Sunday School Conference Secretary Rev. F. D. Dawson, will hold an Institute for us an Sunday and Monday, March 16 tnd 17.

Have you paid your Educational pledge? It not, why not? R. S. Boykin is local treasurer, and will be glad to credit you, and send the money in to the Conference treasurer.

Sermon subject for next Sunday:

"The Holy Catholic Church," 11 a. m.

"The New Birth," 7:15 p. m.

Prayer meeting lesson for Wednesday Jan. 30, Parables of the Mustard Seed, and the Leaven. Scriptures: Matt. xiii 31-33. Mark iv 30-32. Luke xiii 18-21.

Pastor.

Mrs. Sallie Harlan and daughter, Mrs. Walter Thomas, were week end guests of Mrs. Leslie Green.

DRUE ROGERS CANDIDATE RE-ELECTION AS SHERIFF

RE-ELECTION TO SECOND TERM SOUGHT BY POPULAR SHERIFF OF MILAM.

Drue S. Rogers has announced his candidacy for re-election to a second term in office as sheriff of Milam county subject to action of the Democratic Primary July 26, 1924.

Mr. Rogers has been sheriff of Milam county since January 1, 1923, having taken the oath of office following his election in the primary and general election of 1922.

In announcing that he will be a candidate for the office to succeed himself. Mr. Rogers makes the following statement:

"In making the announcement of my candidacy for re-election to the office of sheriff of Milam county for a second term I wish to say that in the beginning that I sincerely appreciate the splendid co-operation of all the people of Milam county that has been given me during my first year in office and extend my heartfelt thanks to the people for the splendid way in which they have helped me to administer the affairs of the office and to give the entire population the best possible service as sheriff.

"In soliciting the support of all the people I ask an earnest consideration of my candidacy which is based on the service I have rendered and promise to render in the future. I am the public servant of the people and their interests have called forth from me the best that is in me to make a faithful officer and to discharge my duties in the interest of all the people. In serving in this office I have approached my duty at all times with due consideration for all and I invite the attention of the people to my service and ask their support.

"The service has been pleasant in every may and my contact with the people has been profitable and my efforts to enforce the law on all alike has been satisfactory because I have dealt fairly and in the utmost spirit of friendship for all. I have so conducted the affairs of this office as to leave no dissatisfaction in doing my plain duty as sheriff.

"My duties have been performed in a pleasant manner and no one with whom I have had to deal in enforcing the law both as to parties arreested and others, hold ill will against me for my treatment of them has been kind and considerate.

"My duty as sheriff demands that the interests of all be served and this has been one of the big aims of my administration. In this confidence that I have dealt fairly I ask the support of the people and feel that I am entitled to re-election because of the manner in which I have conducted the office.

"I have enforced the law without fear or favor and in this way have met every obligation as best I could to make the people a good and faithful officer of the law. If re-elected I pledge my best efforts at all times to making the county the best officer possible and I invite the support of all the people to my candidacy."

Mr. Rogers will make an active campaign for the office and will meet the voters of the county and talk with them. He believes the people and his administration has appealed to no particular class, only the people as a whole, and his popularity among all classes has greatly increased as a result of his fairness and impartialiay in discharging his duties.

BUILDING CODE FOR THE CITY OF CAMERON.

The city has taken up the work toward the adoption of a building code, and expects in its adoption to lower the fire insurance as well as to create general tendency toward a prohibition of construction of unsightly buildings in the city.

The personnel of the committee appointed by the Cameron Commercial club to further fire prevention, and which is also working on the matter of a building code for Cameron, is R. H. McIntosh, J. T. Parra and J. E. Mangum.

Bassett Watson was at home from the State University Sunday visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. John Watson.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. JOHNSON

A very large number of friends and acquaintances of the family gathered at the Christian church Friday afternoon at 3:30 for the funeral of Mrs. Edith Naylor Johnson, wife of Lieutenant J. Thad Johnson of Selfridge field, U. S. air service, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Naylor, and paid tribute to the memory of a splendid young Christian character.

The services in keeping with the wishes of Mrs. Johnson, as expressed before her edath, were simple, consisting of the singing of her favorite song and the reading of her favorite text with brief comments by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Ogle. The floral tribute was beautiful with flowers banked all around the casket.

The feature of the service was a sketch of Mrs. Johnson's life by Mrs. H. N. Naylor, her mother, which was read by the pastor as follows:

"Edith May Naylor was born May 5, 1900 at Woodbury, Tenn. At the age of 12 years she was buried with her Lord in Christian baptism, by her pastor, Bro. McDaniel of the First Christian church of Cameron, Texas. She died in the faith of her Lord.

"On Nov. -8, 1919, she was united in marriage with Lt. J. Thad Johnson of the U.S. A. Air Service, at the home of her parents at Frederick, Okla. Soon after she departed with her hubsand for Honolulu, H. I., where they were stationed for three years and where her health was seriously undermined by the tropical climate. Returning to Oklahoma for several months during 1921, her health was apparently restored, and for more than a year seemed in her usual health.

"The climate again telling upon her, her husband urged her to return to the mainland, but she refused to leave him, until in October, 1922, she became critically ill and after several weeks in a hospital, she was sent home by her physicians, followed a few weeks by her husband.

"Mrs. Johnson remained in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Naylor of Blackwell for seven months. But in June of 1923 she joined her husband at his new post at Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, being accompanied by her mother who remained with her until September. At this time her improvement seemed rapid and it continued so until Christmas eve, when she became critically ill, at her home in Selfridge Field. On Wednesday, Jan. 2, her condition became serious and her parents were called and remained with her until the end. She fell asleep at 2 a. m. Wednesday, Jan. 9, at the age of 23 years, 8 months and 4 days.

"Her sweet and gentle disposition and lovable Christian character endeared her to all of her friends. Her patience during the four years struggle to regain her health, was remarkable. When her last illness became serious she talked to her husband of her condition and expressed her willingness to go, except for leaving her family. The fortitude during her hours of pain and loving consideration for those at her bedside, were but expressions of her unselfish nature. She chose the text to read at her service: "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." (Matt. 11:28-29.) She also requested that the service be simple and that her choice song be sung: "I Need Thee Every Hour."

"She spoke of death as only a brief parting and sent loving messages to her family and friends, and to her aged grandmother she sent this message: "I'll be waiting for you." To her father, whose mother died in his infancy, she said: "Daddy, I'll tell your mother how good you are."

"A favorite poem of hers was James Whitcomb Riley's, "I cannot say, I will not say, That she is dead. She is just away'."

Burial followed at Odd Fellows cemetery.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR MAYSFIELD SCHOOL.

The Maysfield Parent-Teachers Association gave a most enjoyable and catchy play in their school auditorium last Friday night, January 18. his entertainment "The Return of the Old Maids" was a sequal to "The Old Convention" presented a few months ago. Both were highly enjoyed and netted a good sum for the school piano.

The following ladies took part:

Mesdames John McGuire, J. C. Freeman, O. F. Robinette, Dan Thweatt, Hollerman, John Ireland, Lula Green lease, Hubert Massengale, Gill Newton, Roy Newton, J. C. Tyson, Carie Bell, John Thweatt, Misses Caria Roark and Mina Clark.

Several from Cameron attended, among the number, Judge John Watson, Jeff T. Kemp, D. S. Rogers, H. H. Stricklin, Mrs. W. I. Clark, Misses Gladys Henry and Ruth Kemp, Paul Watson, Sam Graham.

JUDGE JOHN WATSON ON ROCKDALE PROGRAM.

Judge John Watson delivered an address in Rockdale Sunday afternoon the address being a number on a program arranged by the UDC Chapter of that city in honor of the anniversary of the birth of Robert E. Lee.

Judge Watson was accompanied from Cameron by his wife and by Dr. and Mrs. James Watson. The entire party were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sessions at a six o'clock dinner, on the same date.

MISS McGEHEE MILLINER AT DOBBINS.

Miss Alice McGehee will have charge of the Millinery Department at the new Dobbins Dry Goods Store. Miss McGehee is a home town girl and an exceedingly popular one too as well as a woman of taste and experience in this line of business. She will leave in a few days for market and will have on display about Feb. 1st, a well selected stock of spring millinery.

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not les sthan one year in said Milam county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Frank Fisher, deceased, C. N. Green and Brothers, and Cameron Hospital by W. R. Newton and E. Rischar have filed an application in the County Court of Milam County, on the 22nd day of Jan. 1924, for the appointment of an administrator of the Estate of Frank Fisher, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day of February 1924, at the court house of said county, in Cameron, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Cameron this 22nd day of February 1924.

H. M. ROARK, Clerk,
County Court, Milam County, Texas.
By J. O. Hughes, Deputy. 38-2t

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NOTICE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Gerring Manley, a boy 14 years of age, Robt. Manley, a boy 12 years of age, and Bessie Manley, a girl nine years of age. G. W. Manley has filed in the County Court of Milam County, an application for Letter of Guardianship in the Estate of the above named children which will be heard on the 4th day of February, 1924, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Cameron at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Here fail not, under penalty of the aw, and of this Writ make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Cameron the 8th day of January A. D. 1924.

Attest: H. M. ROARK,
County Clerk of Milam County.
By J. O. Hughes, Deputy. 35 3t

FOR SALE—One block on Hefley Heights, a beautiful site for a nice home. Will sell all or part.
32-2t P. L. Bergum.

AN ORDINANCE.

Controlling the Slaughtering, handling and storing of meat and meat food products offered for sale within the City of Cameron; providing for the filing of name of all dealers in uncured meat products with the sanitary officer; providing character of and location holding pen and killing plant; providing for a penalty for a violation of this ordinance; and declaring an emergency.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Cameron, Texas:

FIRST.

All butchers, peddlers, barters, sellers and storers of uncured meats, within the City of Cameron, shall file his name with the Sanitary Officer, giving business and address.

Second.

All animals used for meat purposes shall be in the pens adjacent to the slaughtering plant at least twelve hours before killing same, and no over-heated, exhausted or freshly hauled animal shall be killed until completely rested.

Third.

Location of killing plant shall be where drainage conditions are good. No pools or stagnant water shall be within 400 feet of the place of killing.

Five.

a. The house used for killing shall be large enough to supply ample room so as not to be crowded at any time, and shall have an abundance of natural light.

b. The walls shall be tight to prevent water, blood and other material from collecting in crevices and cracks.

c. The floors shall be constructed of brick, tile or concrete with plenty of drainage and with ample drains to carry off all water and blood at once.

d. All openings shall be screened with wire not less than 14 meshes to the inch on tight fitting frames, and kept securely closed, except when opened for immediate operation of such business.

a. Hides and pelts and hair shall be removed from carcasses in this room and immediately removed therefrom. The hide house or pit shall be at least 50 feet from the place of slaughtering, and shall have no connecting doors.

f. All viscera, including lungs, heart and trechea, shall be removed rom the carcass as soon as hide or pelts are removed, and the erible offals shall at once be removed, washed in clean water and hung on racks. All edible offals shall be immediaetly removed from the room without removing any of their contents.

g. Care shall be taken not to conaminate the carcass with dirt, bile, blood or bowel contents, but if they should be, they must be immediately washed with clean water. On final dressing, the carcass shall be removed at once to a cooling room which shall be as near dust proof as possible.

h. No hogs shall be evisciate until all hair and hoofs have been removed and thoroughly scrubbed with hot water and a stiff brush removing all dirt and sand.

i. Ample washing facilities shall be provided for workmen at all times. The spitting upon what stones, steels and knives will not be permitted. One vessel and disinfectant shall be kept on hand in case workmen find a diseased animal. All tools used shall be immediately disinfected.

Five.

The holding pen adjacent to killing plant shall be of concrete floor and all material shall be washed from the feet and legs of animals before they are killed. The said pen and plant shall be thoroughly washed and cleaned, including all tools, buckets, etc., afte reach day's kill, allowing no meat, blood or hair to remain from one day to the next. All water must come from a well or source which is not contaminated.

Six.

No feeding pens shall be within 50 feet of the killing plant, and hogs receiving tankage, offals or garbage must not be kept within six hundred (600) feet of the slaughter place.

Seven.

It shall be the duty of the person or persons in charge of the slaughtering places, on the first of each month to furnish the names and addresses of all persons who have had animals killed at the plant during the past month, to the Sanitary Officer of said City of Cameron.

Eight.

a. It will be the duty of any person, firm or corporation storing meats and charging fees for the same, to furnish the Sanitary Officer of the City of Cameron on the first of each month, names and addresses of all persons using the same for each past month. b. Any store room, refigerator, ice box, or other receptacle which is called natural or artificial for the cooling of fresh meats, shall not be used to store any article except meat.

Nine.

Any person, persons, firm, firms or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than One ($1) nor more than One Hundred ($100) Dollars, and each day's offense shall constitute a separate offense.

Ten.

Nothing in this ordinance, except Section 1 hereof, shall apply to farmers killing and selling meats raised by them on their own farms, but such farmers, before offering such meat for sale, shall file their names with the Sanitary Officer in accordance with Section 1.

Eleven.

The fact that there is no adequate ordinance controlling the slaughtering, handling and storing of meat and meat food products creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the rule requiring ordinances to be read on three separate days be and the came is hereby suseffect from and after its passage and pended, and that this ordinance take publication, as required by law, and it is so ordained.

We your Ordinance Committee, respectfully recommend that the above ordiance do pass.

W. O. Triggs.

Passed unanimously this 7th day of January 1924.

Approved this 7th day of January 1924.

J. B. WHITE,
Mayor, City of Cameron, Texas
R. D. BROWN,
Secretary, City of Cameron, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Milam.

I, R. D. Brown, Secretory of the City of Cameron, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the above styled ordinance and the proceedings relating to its adoption and approval as the same appear of record in the Minutes of Book of Ordinances of the City of Cameron.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 7th day January, A. D. 1924.

36 4t R. D. BROWN,
Secretary of the City of Cameron.

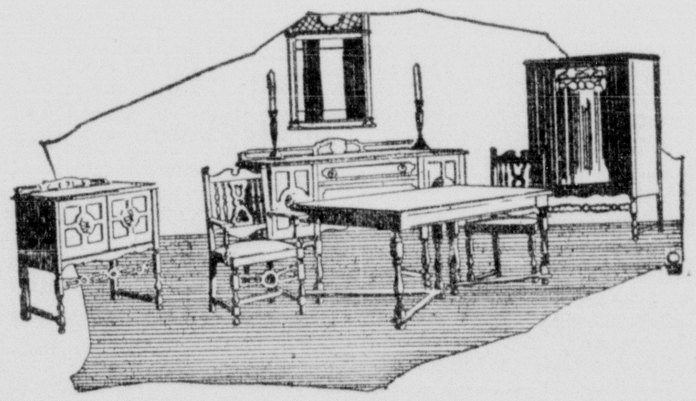
NOTICE

I have moved my plumbing and tin shop to the Odd Fellows building just north of the postoffice. I will be glad to have my customers and friends to call on me in my new location. Telephone any time for work of the best kind.

R. A. TAG

TINNER AN PLUMBER.

Odd Fellows Building. Cameron, Texas.



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His entire stock of Fall Merchandise. Buy this week. Sale closes positively Saturday, January 26th.

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Receiver on Phonograph Aids in Selecting Records

For demonstrating phonograph records, a talking machine has been invented with a receiver that prevents sounds reaching

other than the listener's ear. Thus, it does away with the need of individual booths and aids in saving floor space in a store. It has the appearance of an ordinary instrument and can be attached to a counter or table.

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Snowfall of Today as Heavy as in Grandpa's Time

Official records, according to the weather bureau, will not support the assertions that "we don't have such heavy snowfalls now as we did when I was a child." According to the figures, the winters now are just as severe as they were in the days of our grandparents. It is a fact, say the experts, that the deep snow remembered by the man who was a boy in the '70's or '80's, which reached his shoulders, would be less than knee deep compared with his present stature. For example, the statistics show that in New York City and Albany, N. Y., the heaviest snowfalls occurred more than 30 years ago, but there have been few winters with more snow than fell at those places in the season of 1915-1916. Records at Springfield, Ill., dating since 1884, indicate that the greatest fall, 43 inches, was in 1913-14. In New Haven, Conn., the heaviest occurred in 1915-16, although there seems to be a gradual lessening of the total each season. Boston's best figure, 96.4 inches, was in 1873-74, but two years later there was only 5.3 inches, while Portland, Me., experienced 125.5 inches, in 1886-87; last winter's total was only ½ inch less.

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Nebraska Once Home of Apes Unearthed Tooth Shows

Scientists unearthing fossils in Nebraska have found a tooth, which they say belonged to a prehistoric ape and shows that such an animal once lived in that region. The skull of a giant camel was also dug up, together with bones of piglike beasts as large as a rhinoceros. Remains of a three-toed horse are among the collection, which according to the discoverers, proves that this animal roamed America more than 2,000,000 years ago.

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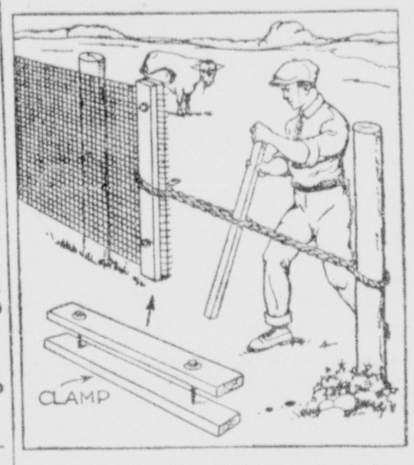
Gas Mask and Rubber Gloves to Protect Painters

To safeguard painters against lead poisoning, frequently contracted while working with materials containing that mineral, a respirator and rubber gloves have been devised. Without discomfort or inconvenience when worn, these articles prevent the workmen from getting the liquid on their hands, which may result

in irritating skin diseases, or breathing the fumes, said to be injurious to the lungs. Strapped over the head, the mask does not obstruct the craftsman's sight.

Stretching Wire Fencing

A simple and efficient wire-fence stretcher is shown in the drawing. It consists of two lengths of 2 by 6-in. wood with



two or three bolts passing through them so that they can be securely clamped to the end of the fencing as shown. A heavy rope is passed around both pieces, around a fence post, and tied. A stout stick is used to twist the rope, thus pulling the fence as tight as desired. The device can be made in a short time from material that can be found on every farm.

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Draft Shield for Carburetor

On many automobiles the carburetor is situated rather low on the side of the motor, right in the path of the air draft, which, during cold weather, cools the carburetor and prevents it from working properly. This trouble can be eliminated by providing a sheet-metal shield, large enough to close the space between the engine and the hood, and extending at least to the top of the motor. It is fastened under a manifold clamp, and its edges are rolled or bent over to prevent cutting the hands. Galvanized iron or brass is the best material to use for the shield.

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¶That New York City and its suburbs will have a population of 29,000,000 in A. D. 2000 is a prediction of an official city-plan committee.

CIVIC LEAGUE MEETS.

The Cameron Civic league met at the city park yesterday afternoon and outlined plans for their work during the coming year. At that meeting appointments of committees for the various lines of work were made.

Present officers of the league elected last week were: President, Mrs. E. A. Wallace, first vice president, Mrs. Oxsheer Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Geo. T. Graves; Secretary, Mrs. H. F. Smith, Jr., Treasurer, Mrs. R. S. Boykin; publicity committee, Miss Delphia Scott, chairman, Mrs. Jeff to Kemp and Mrs. Meta McCown.

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NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County—GRETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Milam county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of Walter Nash Burns, a minor, Mrs. Lizzie Burns, has filed an application in the County Court of Milam county, on the 11th day of October 1922, for the guardianship of the estate of said Walter Nash Burns, a minor, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day February 1924, at the court house of said county, in Cameron, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Cameron, Texas, this 12th day of January 1924.

H. M. ROARK, Clerk,
County Court, Milam County, Texas.
By J. O. Hughes, Deputy. 37 2t

Contest Closes FEBRUARY 1st

Now Is the Time To Get Busy

Essay writing is easy, if you can make yourself get down and get busy on the subject. Others are sending in their Essays—Think of getting $40 cash money handed you for just a few minutes work. That's easy isn't it?

Do not write more than 1500 words on "Economical Transportation and How Chevrolet Fills the Demand" and send it in to the White-House Motor Company.

Competent judges will judge your Essay.

Don't fail to get your Essay in before the 1st of February 1924.

White-House Motor Company

Chevrolet Dealers. Cameron, Texas.

Stone Mountain Yields Memorial To Confederacy

Stone Mountain, Ga., Jan. 19.—General Robert E. Lee, widley beloved hero of the Southern Confederacy, lived again today.

National celebrities, alongside those from the ranks of unknown, wealthy and poor, standing with heads bowed alike, and children of those who wore the gray, linked arm in arm with children of others who wore the blue—all assembled in one great throng on this, Lee's 117th anniversary, and paid homage to the great Southener.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, the head of General Lee, a part of the great Confederate memorial, carved in the perpetual granite of Stone mountain, was unveiled before thousands of awe-inspired men, women and children from all sections of the Southland.

The actual unveiling was done by a little woman, aged and gray, who first conceived of the great memorial. She is Mrs. C. Hellen Plane, 94 years old, whose husband gave his life for the "lost cause."

Dressed in a gown of the sixties and attended by 13 boys and 13 girls, who are members of the Children of the Confederacy, she timidly approached the release of the great American flag and gave the signal. Ten tons of granite crashed with a roar to the earth 300 feet below and the two flags slowly and majectically drew aside. There was the face of General Lee, grim and determined, as he led his followers to war.

It was a remarkable likeness, from the ground it appeared little larger than natural; in reality, it was almost 50 feet from the top to the bottom. To the large crowd, Lee's facial features seemed marked by faint lines; in actuality, those lines were deep crevices, carved into the granite by electric drills.

Governor Lee Trinkle of Virginia, Governor W. W. Brandon of Alabama, Governor Carey Hardee of Florida, Governor Thomas McLeod of South Carolina and Governor Pat Neff of Texas, with their staffs and many officers of the Confederate Veterans, the regular army and others attended.

AGED NEGRO DEAD.

An old and respected colored man passed to his reward when Henderson Stramler, known as "Uncle Stramler" died on January 11, 1924.

Born in the days of the Old South and coming to manhood in the midst of troublesome times, this aged man had lived a life which made him the friend of many, both of his own race and "the white folks". Especially was he loved by the little white children, and he will be greatly missed. He died at his home on Mr. Lee Batte's Green farm, where he had lived for ten years, after intense pain which he bore with Christian fortitude.

KILLS DUCK WEARING A METAL TAG

While hunting on his father's farm several days ago Alfred Unnasch killed a duck which had been marked by government agents of the biological survey, Washington, D. C. On one side of the tag were die cut figures 205944, with instructions to Notify Biol. Survey. On the reverse side of the label was Washington, D. C.

Mr. Unnasch complied with instructions and forwarded the tag to Washington with full explanations as to when and where the duck was located and the fate which befell it. It is supposed that the labels are used to tag certain ducks and migrating fowls in an effort to determine more of the habits and charcteristics of these birds.—Thorndale Champion.

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COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices named, subject to action of the Democratic Primary, July 26, 1924:

For Sheriff:
DRUE S. ROGERS.
(re-election)

For County Superintendent:
J. O. HUGHES.

For Public Weigher Precinct 7:
ED. WESTBROOK.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The following announcements are authorized to be made in the Herald for city offices subject to action of the Democratic Primary, Tuesday February 5, 1924:

For Mayor:
J. B. WHITE
(re-election)
JUDD G. DAVIS.

For City Marshal:
VINCE LUCAS
(re-election)
R. L. BATTE, Jr.
L. N. LUTZ
RAY ROBINSON

For City Attorney:
PAUL WEBB.

For City Assessor and Collector:
DAN TYSON
(re-election)

For Aldermen:
GEORGE T. GRAVES.
W. O. TRIGGS.
C. R. PHILLIPS.
HENRY M. HEFLEY.

As was to be expected, there has been much "snap judgment" of the peace plan selected to receive the Bok prize. Those who believe in the League of Nations think it wonderful; those against the League of Nations call it nonsense.

But it would seem that a fairminded consideration of the prize plan would not begin with the statement that "it is good" or "it is poor;" would not consider "this is propaganda" or "this is the start of the millenium." To many thinking people the substance of the winning plan is of small account. Students of history know that mankind has sought for peace for thousands of years, and never yet found the road; that a plan offered as the result of a prize should immediately succeed where humanity has failed, would be miraculous. Only the credible expected any such marvel to occur.

What the peace plan has done, is doing, and will do, is to focus the thoughts of many people on the problem of peace. No enduring institution is the handiwork of one man; war itself is not the product of one man or group of men, but the result of centuries of experience. Peace is then as difficult to practice as war; as difficult to attain as war is easy to get into; that a fair highway to its permanent adoption by a war-weary world could be found by one man or one group of men in one lifetime is not to be expected.

But the peace plan offer, the peace plan prize, the winning plan itself, make us think peace, talk peace, argue peace. Let the whole world argue peace, instead of war; let all nations question war instead of embracing it when it comes, and we will have peace, just as we have learned how to have and live with liberty, equality, humane justice and civil law all at one time, things sought as earnestly and as hopelessly as we today seek for permanent and lasting guarantees of peace.

The great exposition of road building material, methods, and machinery which now is in progress in Chicago emphasizes as never before the position which highway construction and use is to take in this country. Here, under one roof are gathered together such an educational exhibit of all that pertains to highway making as the world has never seen. Road building from all over the country are attending; road buyers have sent their representatives to see what progress has been made in the art; road users come to see whether or not their own roads are up to the best standard, and if the money their communities are spending is being wisely spent.

Attracting a major amount of the attention of the visitors are the two exhibits which have nothing to sell; nothing to gain except the spread of an idea. The Bureau of Public Roads, Department of Agriculture, has a highly educational exhibit, showing the work of the bureau, the administration of the Federal aid road acts, and the right way to build roads. The National Highways Association, occupying a great space across the end of the gallery, shows very large and elaborate maps, illustrating the idea back of the association. It shows, with literature and other exhibits, its educational work looking to the creation of national sentiment for the theory that the National Government should build, own, control, and forever maintain a system of National Highways to which States would build feeder roads, which in turn would be served by county and township roads.

The great throngs of people coming to the Coliseum are but an indication of the interest we, as a people, take in the highway transportation problem, and the absolute necessity of this Government taking the next step in its solution, which is, of course, the creation of a National Highway Commission to locate and build the first of the truly national roads.

1924 POLITICAL CALENDAR.

The political pots are just beginning to boil, and candidates present and prospective are beginning to bestir themselves. From now until the last primary, the interest will increase more and more and the voters will be the most eagerly sought after persons to be found—that is as far as the candidates are concerned. For the benefit of all interested, we publish below the principal provisions of the laws governing the holding of elections and the right to vote.

January 31.—Last day for the payment of poll taxes. Voters must either hold a poll tax receipt or an exemption certificate. Husbands or wives may register, the one for the other.

February 18 — Commissioners' Court appoints election judges.

March 10—County Tax Collector certifies poll list to County Clerk.

April 1—County Clerk certifies to county election board poll list and exemptions by precincts.

May 3—Delegates chosen by precinct convention to attend county convention which will choose delegates to State Convention, held on May 27 to elect delegates to national convention.

June 9—State executive committee certifies to county chairman names of candidates for State office and fixes date of State Convention.

June 14—Last date of filing by candidates for county and precinct offices.

June 16—County committee decides on order in which names are to appear on primary election ballot.

June 23—Last day for payment of fees by candidates.

June 26—Within not more than thirty or less than twenty-three days before the primary, candidates and their managers shall file first expense accounts.

July 14—Subcommittee for county makes up primary election ballot.

July 6—Within not more than twenty nor less than ten days before the primary, voters who desire may arrange through a notary public to cast an absent ballot..

July 16—Last day for casting of absentee ballots.

July 14—Second statement of campaign expenses must be filed under the same conditions as those governing the first statement of June 26.

July 26.—Primary election day. Also Precinct Convention day for both Democtrats and Republicans. Election hours, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. On this date also begins the period, lasting until August 5, during which final statements of campaign expenses must be filed.

July 30—Last day for making of returns by election judges.

August 2—Returns canvassed by county committees.

August 3—For a period of ten days absentee voters may arrange for casting of ballots in second primary.

Expense Accounts—Condidates in the second primary must file their first expense accounts between July 26 and August 1. Between the dates August 11 and August 15, second filing of expense accounts must be made.

August 11—Commissioners Court appoints judges of second primary.

August 23—Second primary election.—Honey Grove Citizen.

Rev. Springer of Cameron and Rev. C. L. Boone of El Mott, near Waco, came over from Cameron last Sunday and Rev. Boone preached at both the morning and evening hours at the Baptist church. Rev. Springer is the County Missionary for Milam county and was unable to remain in our town but a few hours and left shortly afternoon for Waco to attend a week's training school for missionary workers which is scheduled to be held in Waco during this week. Rev. Boone preached two splendid sermons and made many friends here during his short visit.—Thorndale Chapion.

DIVORCE RATE LOW IN MILAM COUNTY.

During 1923 there were more than 600 marriages in Milam county and only 89 divorces were granted, showing the domestic barometer has had little to depress it.

Miss Louise Denson of the Gause school faculty spent the week end visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Denson.

M. G. Cox spent several days in Marlin last week.

Safeguarding Your Automobile Investment

The service and parts departments of this institution, the policy of its management and the principal purpose of its existence, are all to make sure that the local owner of a Chevrolet car gets a dollar's worth of serviceability out of every dollar he has invtetsed in this splendid automobile.

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30x3 Standard	$8.75
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30x3	$1.40
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Hens	14¢
Fryers	16¢
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We carry a full line of Groceries and all kinds of Sack Feed, Hay and Grain.

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Local and Personal

Mrs. Thelston Ford of Baileyville was brought to the Cameron Hospital last Thursday afernoon in a very serious condition resulting from a ruptured appendix. Her condition is still grave but hopes of her ultimate recovery are entertained. Mrs. Ford, before her marriage, was Miss Lessie Whitman, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Whitman, for several years residents of Cameron. Her husband and two daughters, Misses Alixe and Lucille, of Baileyville, her mother, Mrs. C. A. Whitman, of Waco, and two sisters, Mrs. Davis Burly of Waco and Mrs. Eugene Hanszen of Dallas, were here Sunday at her bedside.

Word was received here last week that a concert from the Georgia Tech Band would be broadcasted over the radio from Atlanta, Ga. Several Cameron parties were listening in at the appointed time as one of our boys, Harleigh McGregor, is a member of the band. On account of atmospheric conditions, it was impossible to get Atlanta that evening. This was a distinct disappointment to Harleigh's home folks, particularly after hearing from him that he was allowed to speak to his mother, Mrs. C. P. McGregor, after the concert was over.

Dr. W. R. Newton, one of the surgeons at the Cameron Hospital, left Saturday for Chicago where he will take a post graduate course in operative surgery in the Laboratory of Surgical Technique. He will be out of the city for several weeks. Dr. Newton established the Cameron Hospital, which is one of the best small hospitals in the state and a splendid asset to Cameron.

Mrs. W. S. Reed of Holland, her son, Houston, and nephew, Frank Murrah, were guests of Mrs. Martha Rogers and Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp, Monday. Mr. Hurrah is traveling with the Dixie Lyceum, a member of the Music Makers, and has filled several engagements in this part of the state recently.

Mrs. Fannie Pullian, in charge of the millinery department at the Triggs Dry Goods store, who is taking a two weeks vacation with her mother in Taylor, motored over Sunday and spent the day. She will leave the last of the week for market to assist in selecting the spring goods.

John W. Pace of Haskell, founder of the Pace-Marshall Drug Co., in Cameron, was a Cameron visitor this week, a guest in the home of his mother in law, Mrs. E. J. McIver. Mr. Pace made many friends during his residence in Cameron and he has them yet and they are always glad when he stops by.

Dick Clark left last week for New Orleans and expected to sail in a few days for British Honduras where he will enter the employ of the United Fruit Company, a position he held before leaving there about two years ago.

H. H. Pruett, principal of the Yarrellton school, was a Cameron visitor Monday afternoon. Mr. Pruett has been in Yarrellton for three years and has established a record as a teacher and as an athletic coach, his teams have gained considerable notoriety in Central Texas.

Mrs. Eliza Martin of Hallettsville, Alabama, is a guest in the home of her brother, J. D. Martin at Maysfield. Mr. Martin moved to Texas from Alabama thirty sewen years ago and this is the first time he has seen his sister since leaving his old home.

Mrs. Stanley Bowles and little daughter left for Dallas Saturday morning after a ten days visit here with Mrs. S. M. Burns, Jr., and Miss Sallie Kate McLane. Mrs. Bowles was the recipient of many social courtesies while in the city.

Mrs. C. A. Whitman of Waco and her daughter Mrs. Eugene Hanszen of Dallas, were guests of Mrs. John Watson this week while here attending Mrs. Thelston Ford of Baileyville a daughter of Mrs. Whitman, who is very sick in the Cameron Hospital.

Miss Ruth Kemp was a guest of Miss Mary Virginia Atkinson at her home in Maysfield last week end and had the pleasure of attending an entertainment at the Maysfield school Friday evening given for the benefit of the school piano fund.

Howell Peel, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peel of Port Sullivan, has returned home after three years of service in the United States Army in the Canal Zone.

Reese Henderson, a prominent Ben Arnold man, was here Tuesday attending court.

Miss Louise Pryor returned to her home in Taylor Tuesday after a weeks visit here with Mrs. George Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Janeway spent several days in Marlin this week visiting Mrs. Janeway's sister who is sick at her home there.

Mrs. Ella Hooks left Saturday for Abilene to visit her daughter, Mrs. Roger Neblett and Miss Martha Lou Hooks.

Mrs. W. A. Morrison and Miss Gladys Henry, spent the week end in Bryan, guests of Mrs. Willard Chambers.

Elizabeth McDermott, a Cameron school girl, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles McDermott at Marlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swift have bought the Otto Semidt place on E. 11th occupied by the D. B. Head family, and will move in shortly.

A. Zweig, former proprietor of the Hub Store, and Mrs. Zweig left Sunday for Marlin where they will spend a few days and later go to California for a two months visit.

If you are interested in chickens and stock call at Felix Matula & Co. and get a free Superior Poultry Calendar written by E. W. Kazmeier.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas attended a reunion of the Peel family in Port Sullivan Sunday.

Miss Pauline Green has returned to the State University after a short visit home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Green.

Ed. Westbrook of Ben Arnold visited in Cameron Monday and while here handed the Herald his announcement for Cotton Weigher at Ben Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelso of Maysfield were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mrs. E. N. Casey has returned form a visit with her daughter and son in Temple.

Mrs. Davis Gurly of Waco was a guest of Mrs. Graham Gillis Sunday. Mrs. Gurley was called here on account of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Thelston Ford, of Baileyville, who is a patient in the Cameron Hospital.

Mrs. H. P. McInney and daughter Miss Edna, of Jones Prairie were shopping in the city Tuesday.

J. P. Looney of Buckholts was a business visitor in the city this week.

Rube Johnson made a short visit in Brenham this week.

Miss Isla Reid, latin teacher, Yoe High school, was called to Proctor this week on account of the illness of her father.

Misses Alixe and Lucille Ford of Baileyville who are here on account of the serious illness of their mother in the Cameron Hospital, are guests of Mrs. Giles Ayriett.

Miss Gibson, one of the Grammar school teachers, has returned from Commerce where she was called last week on account of sickness in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller spent the week end with relatives in Waco.

Mrs. O. R. Looney of Ben Arnold was here shopping Tuesday and visiting her daughter, Miss Frances, a Yoe High school girl.

Billie Meyer of the Thomas Drug, spent Sunday in Waco.

Superior Stock and chicken feed, the best in the country for sale by Felix Matula & Company.

Wilbur Tucker left Wednesday for St. Louis after a four weeks visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John. M. Tucker.

The following announcement was received by Cameron friends yesterday: Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Medsker at Seminary Hill, Ft. Worth on January 22, 1924, a daughter.

Mrs. Frances Tuttle, who has been out of the city since the last of October visiting her son, Thomas Tuttle and wife in Carthage, returned home Monday.

Little Miss Mary Lee Colburn arrived on January 18, to bless the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Colburn of Rogers, Texas.

Mrs. Lee Batte visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Colburn in Rogers last week.

Just received a car of Superior stocks and poultry feed. best feed for less money at Felix Matula & Company.

J. F. Cahill a merchant of Burlington was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Moorman of Wokaty was here shopping Tuesday.

Double your egg production by feeding Superior feeds, for sale by Felix Matula & Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Slaughter and children spent Sunday in Port Sullivan visiting Mrs. Slaughter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Self.

Walter Dossett of Waco was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Jesse D. Jones of Maysfield was here Thursday en route to San Antonio to visit his sister, Mrs. Laura Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boeker of Ben Arnold were here Monday shopping.

THE FARMER'S NEW POSITION

By WALTER W. HEAD,
First Vice-President American Bankers Association

The farmer today is more than a tiller of the soil. He is a business man. Raising crops is only a part of his business, if he is a real up-to-date Twentieth Century farmer. Problems of marketing, distribution and financing are equally important.

Walter W. Head

The complexity of our modern economic organization makes it necessary for the farmer to understand and assist in solving these problems if he is to succeed. In this new role—as a business man—the farmer steadily has advanced to a better position.

There was a time when the farmer was dependent wholly upon private marketing agencies, whose interest was not always identical with his own, whose greed for profits sometimes outmatched consideration of the farmer's need. Today there are many great co-operative marketing organizations that handle a large part of the farmer's crop and win for him more liberal treatment from the private agencies which still handle the bulk of his production.

Today the farmer also has his own co-operative agencies of credit. If not satisfied with the terms upon which his local capitalist is willing to advance money upon a land mortgage, the farmer can go directly to the Federal Land Bank, which, by reason of tax-exemption and other advantages incidental to its governmental character, can loan money at a rock-bottom rate of interest.

In addition, the federal government has established another group of banks which permit the local bankers—by rediscount privileges—to extend the farmer credit for his current operations on a more favorable basis than ever before. If he thinks his local bank is not sufficiently responsive to his need, this same legislation enables him to join with other farmers in a co-operative marketing association and arrange for credit direct from the government banks.

New Credit Facilities

For years it has been the farmer's complaint—with considerable justification—that he, alone of all producers, has been forced to market his crop on the buyer's terms because of his inability to use his products, in storage, as a basis for credit. Today the agricultural credits act authorizes the acceptance of warehouse receipts, on non-perishable agricultural products, as collateral for loans, the same as in the case of sugar or other commodities of commerce.

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TWENTY-THREE YEARS AGO

(From the files of the Herald)

S. W. Cheeves has taken charge charge of Cheeves Brothers store here and will manage the business this year. Whit Cheeves is well known in Cameron, having had charge of the store here for some time in past years.

The brick masons have the walls of the Bickett and W. T. Hefley buildings about up.

Mrs. N. H. Green accompanied by a nurse, went to Killeen last week to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Anderson, who is very low.

A number of business houses close every morning form 10:30 to 11:30 in order that employers and employes may attend the union revival meeting conducted by Evangelist W. P. Fife.

A strong business firm has been formed here, composed of the following officers and directors: W. A. Taber, president, J. S. Cox, vice president, P. O. Adams, secretary and treasurer, J. C. Blakeney of Cleburn, and P. York of Rockdale, directors. The business will be known as the Favorite Dry Goods Company, and will be backed with sufficient capital to make it one of the strongest firms in this part of the state.

Work is progressing rapidly on the McCord building on Belton street.

Cheeves Brothers will move this week to their new stand in he Auditorium block .

YARRELLTON SCHOOL OUT TO CAPTURE LEAGUE CUP

GAME WITH TEMPLE JANUARY 28, 1924 AT YARRELLTON.

The Yarrellton school basket ball team, which is perhaps the strongest quintet in this district of the interscholastic league, will meet the basketeers of Temple High school in a game at Yarrellton on Monday, Jan. 28. These two teams met in Temple last Thursday and Temple won by the close margin of 33 to 32. The game which will be played at Yarrellton is expected to draw large crowds from Temple and Cameron and from many of the smaller towns near Yarrellton.

The personnel of Yarrellton's team this year is practically the same as that of last year's team, which won the loving cup in this district—District No. 16, of the interscholastic league, earning the championship of Milam, Robertson, Freestone, Limestone and Leon counties. They were eliminated in the semi-finals, however, losing the chance to participate in the state meet by only a few points.

Yarrellton is located about 12 miles northwest of Cameron, just inside Milam county, and is a town of little more than 100 inhabitants. But its school is another Centre College. Nothing in Milam county promises to win over the Yarrellton basketeers this year, and the dope bucket will not be overturned if this quintet again wins the loving cup in the district.

Out of 11 games played this year, Yarrellton has lost only two—one to Temple and the other to Belton. And Temple and Belton are perhaps the strongest teams in their district of the interscholastic league.

H. H. Pruitt is coach of the team, and the following are among the boys on the squad: Dewey McCall, Creel Bridgewater, Hubert Dobbs, Clarence Colburn, Emmitt James, Spencer Gee and Stephen Matthews.

LEE HONORED.

Rockdale, Jan, 20.—In commemoration of the birthday of General Robert E. Lee, commander of the armies of the southern confederacy, there was held at the First Baptist church at Rockdale tonight a memorial service, sponsored by the local chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. The program was as follows:

Hymn, "How Firm a Foundation."

Prayer.

Hymn, "The Banner of the Cross," congregation.

Offertory, old southern melodies, band.

"Star-Spangled Banner," congregation.

Address, "Life and Character of General Lee," Judge John Watson.

"Dixie," band.

Recitation, Father Ryan's poem, "The Conquered Banner," Mrs. Annie Grace Drake, president of Elizabeth Willcox Wallis chapter.

Tableau, "The Spirit of the Confederacy," UDC members.

Hymn, " Nearer, My God; to Thee," congregation.

"My Country, 'Tis of Thee," Congregation.

Sermon, "General Lee, the Man," Rev. Jesse Garrett.

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CAR BUYER LOOKS AT INVESTMENT FEATURE.

"More than ever are car buyers considering the purchase of an automobile as an investment pure and simple," says G. C. White of the White-House Motor Company.

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REVEREND FLINN IS APPOINTED MARLIN PASTOR BY MOORE

Dr. Glen Flinn, educational secretary of the Texas conference of Methodist churches, was appointed to the pastorate at Marlin, it was announced Tuesday night by Bishop Moore of Dallas, who was here in the interest of the educational movement. Dr. Flinn is to succeed the late Dr. J. W. Israel, who was serving as pastor there at the time of his death.

Doctor Flinn will not take up the new charge until about the middle of February, it was announced, after the completion of the educational fund "clean up" drive. Doctor Flinn has been in Houston for three years, serving in the capacity of educational secretary for this district.

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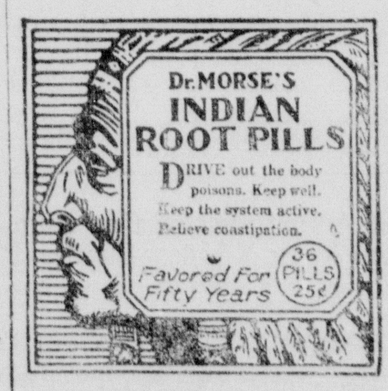
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JUDGE GUNN TIES NUPTIAL KNOT FOR OLDEST COUPLE.

Judge Ed. Gunn, Rockdale's celebrated "Marrying Justice," on Monday of this week tied the nuptial knot uniting the lives and fortunes of the oldest couple he has yet been called upon to make happy.

J. C. Franklin, aged 77, and Mrs. Julia Burk, aged 72, were the happy recipients of Judge Gunn's blessing on this occasion. Both are prominent citizens of the Gardner community, southwest of Rockdale, where they have lived for many years, holding the respect and esteem of the entire community.

The Reporter joins in extending congratulations and best wishes to them in their new-found happiness.

Judge Gunn also united in marriage at his office Sunday afternoon, A. L. Hopkins and Miss Nettie Paris, popular young people of the Conoley community.—Rockdale Reporter.

BOY HURT IN SCHOOL SCRAP.

Eddie Spence, 14 year old school boy of Hoyte, a small town five miles south of here, was brought to the Cameron hospital late Saturday afternoon with several cuts about his shoulders, having received the cuts, it is alleged, in a fight with Carl York, a schoolmate, on the school grounds at Hoyte.

York was taken into custody and was later released on bond.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Milam.

By virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Milam county, on the 26th day of December 1923, by H. M. Roark, clerk of said court against Mrs. J. H. Gandy for the sum of Two Hundred Nineteen and 14-100 ($219.14) Dollars with 10 per cent interest per annum thereon from Dec. 4th, 1923 and $21.91 attorney's fees and costs of suit, in cause No. 4900 in said Court, styled Schiller Buick Company, a firm of which A. E. Schiller is owner and manager versus Mrs. J. H. Gandy and placed in my hands for service, I. D. S. Rogers as Sheriff of Milam county, Texas, did on the 26th day of December, 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Milam county described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land being and situated in the county of Milam and State of Texas and a part of the J. A. De Pena 11 league survey; beginning N. 51 W. 65 vrs. from the S. W. cor. of J. A. Hopkins survey for the N. E. cor. of this survey and running thence S 19 W. 840 vrs. to the S. E. cor. of Elm brs. S. 11 W. 95 vrs. and another N. 88 W. 29 vrs. thence N 71 W. 900 vrs. to a cor. a hackberry tree brs. N 64 E. vrs. and an Elm brs. N. 25 W. 3 1-2 vrs. thence N. 19 E 40 to vrs to a corner an Elm brs. S. 80 W. 4 vrs. thence N. 71 W. 420 vrs. to the creek for the SW. corner an ash brs. S 88 E. 3 vrs. and an Elm brs N. 33 7 1-2 vrs, thence up the creek with its meanders as base line 640 vrs. to a corner, thence S. 19 E. 160 vrs. to the NW. cor. an Elm brs. S 88 E. 2 vars and another brs. N. 53 E. 3 vrs. thence S. 71 E. 1510 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing in all 100 acres of land and levied upon as the property of said Mrs. J. H. Gandy, and on the first Tuesday in February 1924, the same being the 5th day of February, 1924, at the Court House door of Milam county, in the City of Cameron, Texas between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. J. H. Gandy by virtue of said levy and said Writ of Execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Cameron Herald a newspaper published in Milam county.

Witness my hand, this 26th, day of December 1923.

D. S. ROGERS,
Sheriff of Milam County, Texas
By P. S. Graves, Deputy. 34 3t

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(Political Advertisement.)

County News

DR. H. ROEPKE ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

The formal announcement of Dr. H. Roepke as a candidate for County Commissioner of this, precinct No. 4, will be found in another column of doctor will appreciate it as a favor this issue of the Champion, and the fact that he is a candidate and speak if his friends will keep an eye on the a good word for him from time to time during the campaign.

It is a custom of long standing that the papers attempt to introduce the candidates announcing in their columns, but Dr. Roepke needs no introduction to the voters of this community at our hands. It would be more reasonable to introduce one member of a family to another member of the same family. We arrived at this conclusion when we began to inquire as how long the doctor had lived at Thorndale and to learn of some other details about his activities in this community and the oldest citizen from whom we sought this information informed us that they did not know how long Dr. Roepke had been here; that he was already here when they reached Thorndale.

That being the case, it is safe to say that he is thoroughly familiar with the needs of this commissioners precinct and his experience as a citizen of this county and a veterinary surgeon gives him a volume of practical knowledge about county affairs which places him in the list of eligibles for the position which he seeks at the hands of the voters. Being familiar with conditions and the financial affairs of the county, more or less he feels that he will be able to direct the funds and materials at the command of a County Commissioner in such a manner to insure the best interest of the public and of his precinct in particular.

Dr. Roepke's many friends here vouchsafe his special fitness and no one doubts his sincerity of purpose or honor, and he will certainly appreciate a thorough consideration of his claims by the voters of this precinct.—Thorndale Champion.

COUNTY TOURNAMENT IN BOYS' BASKET BALL.

A boys' basket ball tournament to decide the championship of the County Interscholastic League will be held in Rockdale February 1st and 2nd on the local high school court.

The tentative plans are that each team entered will draw for an opponent and that the first round will eliminate all but four teams. The two survivors of the four winning teams will meet for the final game Saturday. The games will begin promptly at 10 o'clock Friday and be played off in rapid succession. A competent outside official will be secured to refree all games.

In order to paraticipate in the tournament a team must pay the Interscholastic League fees and also the one dollar special basket ball fee. The teams are requested, also, to notify H. B. Hughes, County Athletic Director, if they intend to compete in the tournament. The winner of the county will compete in a district tournament at Calvert February 15.

The coaches will meet in Cameron Saturday, January 26 at 10 o'clock at the county superintendent's office and perfect the details of the tournament.

At this time also, Mr. Hughes is asking that all schools interested in girls' basket ball have a representative present. Plans will be formulated for a similar tournament for the girls.—Rockdale Reporter.

ECHO OF THE PAST BRINGS MEMORIES OF COURT HOUSE FIGHT.

From T. L. Jones, of Temple, there comes to the Reporter editor's desk a memento of the past in the shape of an "Extra" issued by the old Rockdale Messenger under the date of March 12, 1880, Enoch Breeding being the editor.

The occasion of the "Extra" was the political campaign then in progress in Milam county concerning the proposed removal of the county seat from Cameron to Rockdale. The county seems to have been in the throes of the most bitter controversy that has probably ever been waged in the public prints of the county, such terms as "bribers,' "liars," and "swindlers" being used. The county judge at that time was R. J. Boykin, and the "Extra" issued by the Messenger was brought out by one of his rulings in reference to a bond signed by certain Rockdale citizens guaranteeing the erection of a suitable court house in Rockdale should the election go in favor of Rockdale and against Cameron.

Rockdale citizens taking a big part in the campaign and signers of the bond in question were: J. S. Perry, W. L. Lutner, W. B. Woody, H. P. Hale, E. M. Scarbrough, Thos. F. Hudson and J. W. Perry. Of these only W B. Woody is now living in Rockdale. E. M. Scarbrough is now a citizen of Austin. The others have all passed to their reward. The Messenger's "Extra" was in the form of a small 3-column hand bill, but while small it was full of "pepper."—Rockdale Reporter.

TRUETT BLAYLACK, BAPTITS MINISTER MOVES TO ROCKDALE.

Truett Blaylock, son of Rev. B. B. Blaylock, a former much-loved Rockdale Baptist minister, has located in Rockdale, moving his family, consisting of wife and two children, over from Cameron this week.

Truett was a freckled-faced, mischievous boy when his parents left here ten years ago. Rockdale people who knew him best would hardly have prophesied that he would make a preacher, but he has. He has been engaged in ministrial work now for about four years, has had nearly two years in the Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth, and expects to return to that institution and complete the course. In the meantime he will do supply work or probably accept a call from one or more country churches, his idea now being to save up the necessary funds to finish school.

Truett was once "printer's-devil" in the Reporter office, and he has no more sincere well-wisher than this editor. As a man he resembles his father very closely, and about the best wish we could offer for him would be that he follow in his father's footsteps as a citizen and as a minister. If he does that his life will not have been lived in vain.—Rockdale Reporter.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Joseph Zapalac, Sr., Deceased:

T. F. Criswell, Administrator, of the Estate of said Estate of Joseph Zapalac, Sr., deceased has field in the County Court of Milam County his Final Account of the condition of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as Administrator thereof, which will be heard by said court on the First Monday in February A. D. 1924, same being the 4th day of February, A. D. 1924, at the Court House of said Milam County in Cameron, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are requested to appear and contest said Final Account and application if they see proper.

Witness H. M.. Roark, Clerk of the County Court of Milam County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office in Cameron on this 8th day of January A. D. 1924.

H. M. ROARK.

Clerk County Court, Milam County, Texas.

By J. O. Hughes, Deputy 36-4t

FARMS, RANCHES AND CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE

Any body wanting to buy or trade for farms or ranches in South or West, Texas, call on, or write or wire T. C. Stafford.

FAMILY REUNION AT PORT SULLIVAN.

Forty members of the Peel family met in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peel at Port Sullivan, Sunday, January 20, to celebrate the home coming of one of the brothers, Howell Peel, who has just returned from Panama where he has served for the past three years in the U. S. Army. A splendid turkey dinner with al accompainments was enjoyed at the noon hour by the following:

Messrs. and Mesdames Archie Peel, Sadler Peel, Bryan Peel, Luther Self and their families from Hearne, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Whatley and family, Port Sullivan, Frank Peel and family, Port Sullivan, Victor Bryan and family, Branchville, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomas, Cameron, the host, hostess and honor guest.

BASKET BALL AT YARRELLTON.

Next Monday afternoon, January 28, at 3 p. m. on Yarrellton court, the Basket Ball team will meet the Temple team in the final game of the season. This will be a hard fought battle and is arousing much interest in sport circles. Both teams have made splendid records. Temple has played 7 games and lost 2, Yarrellton has 11 games and lost only 2. On Thursday Jan. 17, the two teams contested on the Temple court, Temple scoring 33, Yarrellton 32

H. H. Pruett, principal of the Yarrellton school, and athletic coach, is justly proud of the record his men have made.

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When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, begin drinking lots of good soft water and get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

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SOCIETY NEWS

BY MRS. JEFF T. KEMP

THE METHODIST MISSIONARY CIRCLES.

Circle number one of the Methodist Missionary Society held an enthusiastic meeting in the home of Mrs. R. H. McIntosh Monday afternoon. Mrs. B. J. Baskin led the devotional service. Plans were made for serving the next Men's Brotherhood banquet. Several new names were added to the circle membership.

Circle number two met in the home of Mrs. H. L. Luckett. Twelve members were present. Plans were made for a white sale to be held February 15th. It was decided to serve no refreshments at circle meetings. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. C. Agee.

Circle number three met in the prayer meeting room of the church.

Devotional was led by Mrs. A. E. Sharpe. The following officers were chosen for the circle:

Leader, Mrs. A. E. Sharpe.

Assistant Leader, Mrs. S. W. Cheeves.

Treasurer, Mrs. Walter Sharpe.

Assistant, Mrs. R. D. Wharton.

Secretary, Mrs. Mack Harvey.

Leader of Study, Miss Mollie Moore.

No refreshments will be served at meetings. Plans for a Valetnine Tea to be given in the home of Mrs. S. W. Cheeves were made. An apron sale was planned for the month of March.

Circle number four met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Triggs. Thirteen members were present. The following officers were chosen for the year:

Leader, Mrs. Joe Lindsey.

Assistant, Mrs. R. L. Batte.

Secretary, Mrs. Buck Bonds.

Treasurer, Mrs. Alex Triggs.

Assistant, Mrs. J. L. Clinton.

LEE IS HONORED.

Jeff Rogers Chapter U. D. C. held an anniversary service at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon with the following program:

Music directed by Mrs. C. E. Peyton.

Introductory, Judge Graham Gillis.

Address, Robert E. Lee, Judge John Watson.

Stone Mountain Memorial, Miss Ada Henderson.

BIRTHDAY DINNER.

Mrs. John E. Mangum entertained with a dinner party Saturday evening honoring the birthday of her husband, John E. Mangum.

The fortunate guests bidden to enjoy this hospitality were twenty of the employes of the wholesale house of Robert McLane and Company with whom Mr. Mangum has served so long and so faithfully. The traveling salesmen of the house from Caldwell and Rockdale were included in the personnel and the Messrs. Broaddus of Caldwell were present, but Mr. Smith of Rockdale sent regrets on account of sickness in his family.

The Mangum home in East Cameron, recently rebuilt and redecorted, is a tasteful modern edifice with all the latest model comforts and conveniencies. On this occasion it was aglow with light and hospitality and was a fit setting for this happy concourse of friends of the honoree.

The long table placed in the hall was in gala adornment. Vivid red carnations formed the gorgeous center piece flanked by crimson tapers in silver holders adorned with maline bows in the favored hue. The individual nut cases with rosettes of red maline bore place cards for the following:

Messrs. Robert McLane, Lee McLane, Homer McLane, Henry Patillo, Tom Crittenden, Drayton McLane, J. S. Bragg, Charles Coleman, V. M. Eanes, W. H. Lucas, Meekie Mosley, George Mangum, Ben P. Atkinson, Elliott Atkinson, Lee Broaddus and J. C. Broaddus of Caldwell, the host John E. Mangum, the mascot, John Mangum, Junior, and A. E. Bagby of the Pemick and Ford Company of New Orleans.

Assisted by Mrs. Geo. T. Graves, the hostess directed the faultless serving of the five course menu:

Fruit cocktail, turkey with dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, celery, ripe olives, new Irish potatoes, creamed asparagus on toast, tinted candied apples, French peas, hot rools. Cherry and pineapple salad. Charlotte Russe, White cake. Cheese balls, hot coffee. Cigars.

Ben P. Atkinson was toastmaster and his gay sallies and witty sayings kept those around the table in a gale of merriment throughout the evening.

Informal responses were given by several of the guests. Robert McLane gave a most felicitous response when called upon and Mr. Bagby of New Orleans expressed his appreciation of the occasion and happily voiced the sentiments of all present that Mr. Mangum might enjoy many happy returns of his birthday.

BIRTHDAY JUBILEE.

The women of the Baptist Missionary Union gave a Birthday Jubilee in the home of Mrs. Wm. Henderson Monday afternoon. The 42 members of the Union whose, birthdays occured during the months of November, December and January were hostesses and gave the free will birthday offering which will be used to provide furnishings for the Baptist church.

Two games based on Bible names furnished entertainment. In finding hidden names, Mrs. T. S. Henderson was successful, and in the game of pantomiming names of Bible cities, all participated. About seventy-five ladies were present to enjoy the following program:

Piano Solo, Mrs Jack Foster.

Songs, Miss Inez Evans.

Instrumental, Miss Lillie Kate Beckerman.

Reading, Miss Dorothy Blaylock.

The tea table, a symphony in yellow, was presided over by Mesdames S. M. Burns, Jr., and John Mangum. Miss Alice McGehee and Mesdames Earl Westmoreland and E. S. Hutcherson assisted with the tea service.

A similar jubilee tea will be given by the Baptist ladies each quarter this year, thus giving each member an opportunity to fittingly celebrate her natal day.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On January 19, Mrs. Lee Batte entertained from 3 to 6 in honor of her daughter, Mary Belle, who was fourteen years old on January 20. The school mates and teachers of the honoree were guests.

Games were played and then luncheon cloths in pastel shades were laid upon each table and a salad course, followed by an ice was served. The table favors were dainty corsages, the plate favors, dainty sweet peas.

Tally cards featured Colonial Dames.

The birthday cake was beautiful, being decorated in the chosen colors. At one side was a corsage of sweet peas tied with lavender maline and on top of it were George and Martha Washington dolls. On either side graceful silver candle sticks tied in dainty colors held pink candles.

The emblems fell as follows: Mrs. Joe Denson, wishbone, Mrs. A. C. Freeman, anchor, Lena Belle Baskin, thimble, Reba Young, ring, Allene Maddox, button, Abbie Reese Harvey, crescent, Maggie Reed McCown, Jockey.

Mary Belle received many gifts from her friends and teachers. The following young ladies assisted in serving Misses Geraldine Lindsey, Abbie Reese Harvey, Lelia Batte, Willie May Colburn and Dorcas Grady Batte. Master Lee Batte Harvey also assisted. Mrs. Batte was assisted by Mesdames Joe Lindsey and Mack Harvey.

BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. S. A. Cottle's Bridge Party Friday afternoon complimenting Mrs. Stanley Bowles of Indianapolis, was a pretty affair. The many interesting details of decoration featured a yellow motif. The score cards bore card emblems in cupid effect. The table covers and other bridge accessories emphasized the chosen theme.

A salad tray with tea was served after the games.

The gift of the hostess to the honoree was a guest room puff box in tones of yellow; and for high score in the games Miss Aetna Smith, was given a Bridge set. Pottery table wears with yellow blossoms were awarded to Misses Gladys Watson and Sallie Kate McLane, Mesdames Tiff Moore, S. G. Patton, James Watson and Charles F. Swift. The six tables of players drawn from the friends of the honoree included the following: Misses Beth Jeter, Sallie Kate McLane, Gladys Watson, Mary Lake Henderson, Mel Mitchell, Nell DuBois, Lenna Kate Johnson, Aetna Smith and Elizabeth Rischar; Mesdames Oxsheer Smith, Charles F. Swift, Rush Thomas, Paul Webb, Tiff Moore, Fritz Fahrendorff, Buck Bonds, John Watson, J. L. Clinton, E. V. Ferguson, John Edwards, S. G. Patton, Giles L. Avriett, and H. F. Smith, Jr. Mesdames Fred Cable and James Watson came in at the refreshment hour.

LIONS CLUB.

The weekly luncheon of the Lions Club was enjoyed by about twenty members of that popular organization. A turkey dinner served in the splendid style typical of the Bigbee hostelry was enjoyed. Mr. E. V. Ferguson was toastmaster and a civic program furnished entertainment. Mayor White was a guest of honor and expressed his appreciation of membership in the club.

John Henderson reported the progress of the Boy Scout movement. Carl Hopkins, a member of the Scout Troop, was present and gave "The History of the American Flag.

Mack Harvy's song was much enjoyed as was also a piano solo by Mrs. Jack Foster.

The Lions will entertain the ladies at their next meeting.

PRESBYTERIAN CIRCLES.

Circle number one spent a pleasant hour in the home of Mrs. Paul Webb Monday afternoon.

Circle number two met in the home of Mrs. C. W. Read. After sewing on aprons, a social hour was enjoyed.

Cicle number three met with Mrs. James Watson and enjoyed a social hour.

STUDENTS PLAY.

"A Full House" presented by students of Yoe High school of Cameron in the Auditorium of the Belton High school on last Friday evening was an enjoyable occasion for the members of the caste who went to Belton in autos, where they were most cordially entertained by members of the faculty. A flattering audience greeted the players and after the proceeds were divided, a neat sum was realized for the proposed new gymnasium.

A basket ball game between the boys teams of the two schools preceded and followed the play and each of these events carried its quota of students.

The following is a partial list of Cameron people who went to Belton Friday and Saturday:

Coach L. Van Perkins, Russell C. Harper, Mesdames F. J. Beckerman, and Arthur Baskin, Misses Rosalie Baskin, Eloise Rogers, Francis Looney, Lillie Kate Beckerman Mary Sue Denson.

Messrs. Sam Cseeves, Frank Cheeves, Gorden Baskin, Gillis Graham, Willard Keith, Kennard Keith, Clifford Barmore, Carl Fikes, Hooks Slocomb, Richard Vest, Irvine Harlan, Glenn Flinn and others.

Friends in Cameron are in receipt of this announcement:

Imogene Maurie arrived Jan. 19, weight 7 lbs. in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hollingsworth, Maysfield, Texas.

Before her marriage Mrs. E. S. Hollingsworth was Miss Kathleen Ireland, a former student of Yoe High school, and a popular member of the younger social group.

SIMPLE CHURCH WEDDING FOR TULSA BRIDE.

Attractively, though simply decorated with southern similax, palms, ferns and tall white cathedral candles in a color motif of green and white, the Boston Avenue Methodist church, was a graceful setting for the wedding of Miss Lillian Easterwood Randall, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Randall of 1605 S. St. Louis ave., and Mrs. Ralph Dent Pearce of Eldorado, Kan., which was impressively celebrated last evening at 8:30, with Dr. John A. Rice, pastor of the Boston Avenue church, reading the marriage service, which included the ring ceremony. Immediately preceding the nuptial service, Mrs. Josephine Storey White, to piano accompaniment played by Mrs. Ernest E. Clulow, sang Cadman's "At Dawning," and as the bridal party took their places at the altar, Miss Juanita Jones played "I Love You Truly" by Carrie Jacobs Bond. The Mendelssbon music was played for the recessional. The bride's only attendant was Miss Lucille Thomason, as maid of honor. Mr. Pearce's best man was Mr. A. G. Burns. The bride, who is an unusually attractive girl, was modishly gowned in smart tailleur of midnight blue duvetyn with trimmings of silver fox. She wore a small hat of silver and carried a colonial bouquet of Sweetheart roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Thomason was attired in a tailleur of wine colored cloth trimmed with taupe fox. A small gold hat and a corsage bouquet of Parma violets and lavender sweet peas added bright touches to her costume. Mr. and Mrs. Pearce left late last evening for Eldorado, where they will reside and will go immediately to housekeeping in an appartment furished especially for them.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Easterwood Randall at Tulsa Okla., will be of interest to many people in Milam county as she is the grand daugther of Mrs. Mary C. Looney of 420 Hathaway Avenue, Houston, Texas.

AFTERNOON PARTY.

Mrs. Fritz Fahrendorf honored her sister, Mrs. Louise Hogan, her sister in law, Mrs. Billy Sedelmeyer, all of Erie Penn., with an afternoon party Wednesday. Her home was made more attractive with the artistic arrangement of sweet peas and other blossoms. The favored guests spent a delightful social hour. Sweet peas as plate favors added a spring-time beauty to the daintily served two course luncheon served during the afternoon.

PARENT-TEACHERS.

At the Yoe High school on Wednesday January 16th an enthusiastic meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held. Miss Amelia Williams presided and led the lesson study from a new book edited by the Superintendent of the Beaumont schools. The subject was: "What a Parent-Teacher's Association can mean to a community. This provoked a lively discussion among the members present and the book was adopted as the basis for this year's club study. A committee, Mrs. B. J. Baskin, Mrs. Andrew Freeman and Rev. H. R. CcFadyen, was appointed to confer with the other Parent-Teachers' Associations in the county in regard to getting a public health nurse for the schools of Milam county.

Prof. Fisher announced that the Ellison Art Pictures woul dbe exhibited at Yoe High school the first week in February. A small admission fee must be charged. The public will be invited for three evenings, one program to be directed by Yoe High teachers, another by the Parent-Teachers and the third by the Grammar school teachers.

PARENT-TEACHERS

The Parent-Teachers Association served a light lunch for the students who stood examinations on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at Yoe High school. Mrs. Ben Atkinson had charge of the service on Tuesday and assisted by Miss Beth Jeter, Mesdames P. O. Adams, J. L. Clinton, B. Slocomb, Albert Triggs, Mrs. H. R. McFadyen, Howard Baskin, W. C. Ford, J. L. Barmore, W. C. Agee and L. L. Blaylock served hot tea, saltines and cheese to encourage the students.

Mrs. E. A. Wallace and the following ladies served a similar lunch on Wednesday: Miss Helen Flinn, Mrs. Wm. Rogers, Mrs. F. J. Beckerman, Mrs. T. J. Denson, Mrs. Lottie Bigbee, Mrs. H. C. Keith. The equipment of the Domestic Economy Department was used on each day.

The tea used was the Maxwell House donated by the Cheek-Neal Coffee Company through their local representatives, the Robert McLane Wholesale Company.

It is hoped that these lunches so invigorated the students that failure will be unknown this term.

COOKE-WALLIS.

John Esten Cooke
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daughter
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to
Mr. James C. Wallis
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twenty-four
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The above announcement was received in Sunday morning's mail by a large circle of interested friends. The marriage was the culmination of a romantic courtship of several years. Numerous friends of the couple knew of their engagement, but so well had the secret of the wedding date been guarded that the announcement came as a complete surprise.

The bride is the elder daughter of J. E. Cooke, editor of the Rockdale Reporter, and is a young woman of unusual beauty and ability. She came to Rockdale with her parents when only a little girl. After finishing the course on the Rockdale High School, she attended Our Lady of the Lake College in San Antonio and the University of Texas, specializing in the School of Journalism at the latter institution. Following her Sophomore year at the University she entered the office of her father as local editor of the Reporter, and her conection with the paper will be remembered with pleasure by Rockdale business people with whom she came in daily contact. She is a member of the Texas Press Association, and attended the annual conventions of that body, thus forming a wide acquaintance among the press people of the State.

The groom was born and reared in Rockdale, and is the elder son of Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Wallis. He too, is a graduate of Rockdale High School, later attending A. & M. College where he took the cotton classing course. During the World War he served over seas. For the past three years he has been connected with the Hamilton Cotton Company of Fort Worth. Mr. Wallis is to be congratulated on having won such a lovely and charming bride, and their friends here hope for an early return visit, so that they may have the pleasure of extending to them their warmest congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life. They will reside in Fort Worth.

—A. FRIEND.

TEMPUS FUGIT

Time flies. And never has the editor more seriously realized the truth of the trite statement than as he pens these lines. For we have this day given in marriage our first born. The beautiful daughter sent by a gracious Heavenly Father to bless our home with her loveliness of disposition; to help make of it the heaven on earth it should be; to minister in tenderness and love to our bodily care; to comfort us in our sorrow and beareavement; to share with us the favors of a Mericful God; to help us mother the younger members of the household; yea, even to step into the editorial harness itself in time of stress and need; and, withal, to make us humbly thankful to the great Comforter above that there is in reality balm in Gilead; that dear daughter has now gone out from the home roof to make happy the home of her husband, even as she has blessed and made happy the home of her Dad.

We hope our readers will pardon this intrusion of personal feeling in this column. We feel impelled to pen these lines, deeming it a duty as well as a privilege to pay this just tribute to one of the noblest daughters with whom man was ever blessed. Flowers for the living. We would therefore lay this one rose tenderly on the altar of our mutual love.

And it is not in sadness that we write, but rather in a spirit of sharing the new found joy that is hers. Time flies. The home nest is emptied only that another may be builded. Yesterday is gone; today is fleeting; tomorrow is yet to be fathomed. The great scheme of Lire as laid down by an Allwise Power must be served.

And so we say to the dear one: Bon voyage, my dear. You have been a dutiful daughter; a loving, sympathetic, unselfish, efficient, self-sacrificing daughter. And as you have made happy the home of your dear old Dad, so will it now be your duty and your pleasure to make happy the home of the man you have chosen for a life companion. Bon voyage, my dear, and God bless the new home you are to grace.

JOHN E. COOKE.

Members of Christian Endeavor, under the leadership of Miss Gladys Henry, presented the pageant, "Amercia Calls," in the interest of the Christian Education Campaign of the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at the church.

Mrs. Stanley Bowles of Indianapolis, Indiana, the house quest of Mrs. S. M. Burns, Jr., was named as honoree at a formal reception given by Mrs. S. M. Burns, Jr., and Miss Sallie Kate McLane at the home of the former on Wednesday afternoon.

Glowing Yupon and Poinsettas in floor baskets with tulle streamers and in silver vases on piano, bighboy and buffet lent their charm to reception hall, living room and dining room. A gorgeous cluster of red carnations in silver basket centered the imported lace spread table guarded by gleaming tapers in tall siver holders. The crimson motif was dainty woven through all the details of this beautifully appointed hospitality and gleamed from the radiant fire and through the shades of the electroliers.

Mrs. Charles McDermott graciously made the guests welcome and Mrs. S. A. Cottle presided in the reception hall where the dainty little daughter of the honoree, little Miss Mary Virginia Bowles, clad in pink velvet, receiving the cards in a basket.

In the receiving line were Mrs. S. M. Burns, wearing a handsome gown in tones of brown with corsage of autumn leaves in glowing colors; Mrs. Stanley Bowles wearing black velvet elaborately stenciled in Oriental colors; Mrs. Fred Cable in coral crepe with lace overdress; Miss Sallie Kate McLane in becoming gown of black satin and blue crepe. Mrs. Charles Frank Green in blue crepe with iridescent bead embroidery.

Presiding at the tea table were Misses Helen Flinn and Gladys Watson, assisted in serving by Mrs. J. C. Tucker and Miss Clara Thomas, all wearing beautiful evening gowns in pastel shades.

Mesdames Paul Webb, Charles E. Peyton, J. L. Clinton, Alex Triggs and Edwin York contributed a most pleasing program of reading and music.

A large number of guests called during the afternoon.

BANQUET OF METHODIST MEN'S BROTHERHOOD.

Outstanding among the social events of the week was the meeting of the Methodist Men's Brotherhood in the church Wednesday evening.

Covers were laid for one hundred and twenty men and places were full very early and the twenty additional most welcome guests were seated at improvised tables around the room.

An unique program had been arranged and a curtain concealed the performers from view.

Mr. Oxsheer Smith was a most pleasing toastmaster and his introductions were replete with fitty sayings of wit and wisdom.

Music was furnished by the Carr Quartette of Temple, composed of young men of most pleasing personality who gave several appreciated numbers which received most generous applause and several encores.

Mr. Frank Hardy's Farm Characterization was a most unique and felicitions performance and deserves repetition.

Dr. John Keen of the Austin Statesman was given a splendid hearing and his exposition of the religious life as love in action was happily received.

The banquet tables were served by the ladies of Circle Number Two of the Women's Missionary Society and due tribute was paid to their thoughtful service of the following menu:

Turkey with dressing, cranberry sauce, rice, glazed candied yams, salad, rolls, coffee, cherry pie a la mode.

HISTORY CLUB.

The Cameron History Club met with Mrs. Wm. Henderson Tuesday afternoon at her home on 7th St.

Lesson Study was led by Mrs. E. A. Wallace who eloquently described the Stone Mountain Memorial being erected near Attlanta, Ga., by the United Daughters of Confederacy. As Mrs. Wallace went to school in Georgia she was able to throw many interesting side lights and touches of local history into the lesson. In the absence of Mrs. W. O. Triggs, Mrs. Katharyne Robbins read extracts from Literary Digest and discussed the Immigration question.

Mrs. J. C. Tucker resigned her club membership.

The hostess served an appetizing salad plate with tea to a large club membership and two guests, Mesdames F. J. Beckerman and R. H. McIntosh.

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THINKS LA SALLE DIED IN THE COUNTY OF BELL

LETTER TO LATE LIEUT. GOVERNOR PENDLETON CONTAINS GOOD STORY.

Was La Salle slain and buried in Bell county?

Histories have long been leaving a question mark as to burial place of La Salle, the French exporer who established a fort at St. Louis and brought his followers into Texas, where he was murdered in a mutiny of his followers. Some accounts say that he was killed somewhere near Trinity river and others believe that he was killed close to the Louisiana border along the Sabine river.

But a letter recently given out for publication by Dr. Alex Dienst, of Temple collector of historical material indicates that La Salle was slain in Bell county, probably in the southwestern portion of the county toward Burnet county. Dr. Dienst has sent a copy of a letter received by the late Lieut. Gov. George C. Pendleton of Temple to the editor of a book soon to be written on Texas legends and folklore. The letter is as follows:

Austin, Texas, Sept. 9, 1891.

Hon. Geo. C. Pendleton,
Belton, Texas.

Dear Mr. Pendleton: You will accept my thanks for your note of the 5th inst. I appreciate very highly your promise to obtain for me such information as you can in reference to La Salle. I would, however, be very sorry to give you any trouble about the matter. I have obtained a copy of the official report made by Gen. Alozo De Leon, governor of Coahuila and Texas, to the Spanish government. This report contains an account of a Frechman who was reported to be living in Texas where he had congregated several thousand Indians together and had acquired such authority over them that they not only recognized him as their chief but treated him with greatest reverence, always kneeling when in his presence. Gen. De Leon alarmed lest the authority of this Frenchman might be used by the French government to assert a claim to Texas organized an expedition for his capture. After traveling in a northeast direction for 42 leagues from what is now Monclova, Mexico, they reached the Rio Grande and 25 leagues beyond that stream, still in the direction of northeast, they found the Frenchman, whom they, with the use of a good deal of diplomacy and artifice succeeded in peruading (him) to accompany them back to Mexico. This occurred in May, 1688; and the Frenchman is said to have been the last survivor of La Salle's expedition. I have translated from the Spanish the account of this Frenchman and De Leon's expendition. It is very curious and interesting incident in the early history of Texas, and it was in connection with it that I wished to ascertain if there was any tradition of La Salle having been killed in or near Bell county, as the Frechman indicates. I have been much delayed in my work and this year have not been able to do anything more than collect data.

Yours most respetfully,
BETTY B. BREWSTER.

IN MEMORIUM.

Mrs. R. H. Ames.

"She needs no slab of Parian marble
With its white and ghastly head
To tell wanderers in the valley
The virtues of the dead,
Let the lily be her tombstone
And the dewdrop pure and simple."

The body of Mrs. R. H. Ames, who passed away in Little Rock Arkansas, last Thursday at 7:00 o'clock p. m., was brought to Rockdale Saturday on the 1:30 I.-G. N. passenger, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Mary Davis and Mrs. Victorine Arnold.

Long before the arrival of the train relatives and friends in Rockdale and from other cities and districts gathered at the station to receive the remains of their precious friend and to welcome the two devoted sisters home.

The body was tenderly escorted to the Old City Cemetery, followed by many of the old families who came to participate in the ceremonies and to pay their last sad tribute to a brave and generous gentlewoman. Interment was made in the family plot by the side of her mother, Mrs. B. Ghent, and other loved ones, who one by one had passed out from the home places.

Mrs. Ames was born in Walton county, Florida, on December 3, 1848, and was therefore 75 years of age at the time of her passing. In reminiscing it developed that she, as Ellen Ghent, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Munn (now Davis,) came to Rockdale from Alabama just fifty years ago. These two and an unknown young man took the same train at Houston for the then new town of Rockdale. Little courtesies were extended by this young man, and when Rockdale was reached the three stepped off, each ignorant of the other's destination. This gallant young man proved to be none other than the now popular pioneer, Hill Marshall. Each met their fate and settled in Rockdale where the families have been the closest of friends througout the years, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall claiming the entire family as their guests during the funeral preparations.

Ellen Ghent became the bride of popular "Dick" Ames on December 31, 1884. To this union was born one son, R. Harry Ames of Tampico, Mexico, and Houston. He was unable to reach here in time for the funeral, but had been with him mother constantly before returning to Mexico.

Until the removal of the family in recent years to Houston Mrs. Ames had been one of the most prominent and best beloved women in this section of the State and a leader in patriotic, club and benevolent works. Large of stature, her heart, soul and mind were correspondingly so. She was a friend to all humanity, especially the helpless and those in the throes of adversity, inspiring them on with beautiful visions ahead. No one was too high or too low to be given hearty and respectful attention. "Service" was her watch-word. "We pass this way but once." She loved the big out-doors, nature was her creed, every scarlet leaf, birds, trees and flowers revealed to her the omnipotence of God, and the vastness of His love. She admired the beautiful in life, so typically expressed by friends in sending rare floral tokens of love. The latch string of her home was ever attuned to the young, the gay, the old, the afflicted and oppressed, in fact, her home had been referred to as "A Haven of Rest." How many weary with the distractions of the world and the social whirl have found solace in the cheery invitation: "Come in and rest awhile," and go forth refreshed by the wholesome surroundings, sweet companionship, flowers and fruits of their labors. Such lives never die, but are repeated in the lives they have cheered, the sorrows they have lighted, the inspiration they have given.

The speakers were well known in county and State, and were close friends of the family.

Judge Jeff T. Kemp, who had been county clerk of Milam county for many years delivered a eulogy on the character and charitable activities of this good woman, that covered a period of twenty years. She was a friend to the poor and down trodden, giving monthly contributions to their support, and kept in touch with all worthy cases.

Hon. T. S. Henderson, who enjoyed the privilege of a friedship covering many years, followed with a longer and more intimate word picture of deceased. He reviewed her life from gracious young womanhood, to when he saw her gentle, yet strong, as the wife of his friend, sturdy "Dick" Ames. He saw her in the sacred role of mother, and as friend to all humanity. He dominant trait was benevolence, her sympathies always going out to the weak and oppressed. She loved truth, and he extolled her virtues as ringing true to every trust. She had always been a leader, her activities, and her judgment and executive ability carried weight in the most exacting situations. As he turned to view the flowers, the flag, the friends she loved so well, his voice modulated to an emotional whisper as he declared the scene was just as she would have wished it to be, could she be present, ending in a soulful goodbye, friend! while the approving audience paid the tribute of tears to their friend departed.

Judge Graham Gillis, whom deceased loved as a son from his babyhood, concluded the services by reiterating the tributes paid by the previous speakers. He dwelt feelingly on what her life had meant to him. She had been both counselor and friend, her sound judgment guiding him through weighty undertakings and inspiring him on to higher, nobler things. She was a friend and benefactress to those who needed her most, some of whom have gone to their long last resting place, while others will make an effort to emulate her life, and the memory of her will grow more priceless with the passing of the years. Following a heartflet apostophe of farewell, he offered a broad and fervent prayer, substituting for the minister who was unable to be present.

Surviving relatives are the husband, R. H. Ames of Houston, a son, Harry Ames of Tampico, Mexico, three grandchildren, Margaret, Richard and Ellen, two sisters, Mrs. Mary Davis of Houston, Mrs. Victorine Arnold of Little Rock, Ark., and a large number of nieces and nephews.

The pall bearers were: Beverly Baldridge, Harry Perry, E. H. Coffield, C. R. Isaacs, Lon Hudson and Milton Phillips.

—A. M. D.

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These are the things to consider

THE cost of a car depends in large part on volume and efficiency. It is no criterion of value.

Studebaker builds 150,000 fine cars yearly. All of them are Sixes. The main costs are divided by that enormous output. Thus at prices of $975 and up we offer the utmost in quality. We offer maximum values.

Don't judge these cars by prices. Under other conditions they might cost twice as much, yet offer less than these.

Some major costs

Quality cars require costly facilities. Studebaker has $50,000,000 invested in modern plants and equipment. $8,000,000 in drop forge plants alone. $10,000,000 in body plants, to carry out the Studebaker standards.

There are 12,500 up-to-date machines employed to build these cars. Some are enormously expensive.

Few outputs justify such facilities. Then parts must be bought outside, and profits paid to others.

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Studebaker engineering costs $500,000 per year. That to us is $3.33 per car.

Our Department of Research and Experiment employs 125 skilled men. It makes 500,000 tests per year to maintain our standards.

Our Bureau of Methods and Standards fixes the requirements for every part and detail. 12,000 inspections are necessary for each car to insure against flaws and mistakes. We employ 1,000 men to make them.

Cars like the Studebakers cannot be built without such facilities, such research, such care. Yet enormous output alone makes them possible at Studebaker prices.

The best we know

Studebakers represent the best we know. And with our army of engineers, with our wealth of experience, we probably know what is best.

We use 35 formulas for steels. Each is best suited to certain parts, as proved by years of tests.

On some steels we pay the makers a bonus of 15% to get them exactly right. There is no room to excel us there.

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We machine the entire surface of each crank shaft, as was done on Liberty Airplane Motors. That extra cost is heavy. But thus we get that perfect balance, that absence of vibration.

We use more Timken bearings than any other car which costs under $5,600. They cost considerably more than ball bearings.

These facts apply to all Studebakers, of all styles and sizes. The materials used in all chasses are alike.

Beauty—Luxury—Finish

The Studebaker coach work has been famous for decades. No one can excel it.

The finish is produced by 26 operations, including 15 coats of paint and varnish.

Open cars have real leather cushions. They cost, over imitation leather, about $25 per car.

No closed cars could be more luxurious. That lining of Chase Mohair is made from the soft fleece of Angora goats. A velour lining would save about two-thirds that cost—up to $100 per car.

Note how every detail denotes infinite care. That, as you know, is expensive.

Note the completeness of our larger models. The nickel-plated bumpers, extra disc wheels with cord tires, a steel trunk, a courtesy light. These are rare extras, even on the costliest cars.

Nothing is stinted

Compare part by part with any rival cars. Studebaker will show you some scores of advantages.

Then consider Studebaker history. For 72 years this name has stood for quality. When people rode in carriages, Studebaker built the best. Now those same traditions are applied to motor cars alone.

Consider Studebaker records. Mark how these cars in service have multiplied demand, until people last year paid $200,000,000 for Studebaker cars.

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Consider their service records. One Studebaker car, built in 1918, has run 475,000 miles. It is still in active service. It lately made a mid-winter trip from Los Angeles to New York. That means 80 years of average service, of 6,000 miles per year.

What more can you dream of in a motor car than the Studebakers offer?

Just Go and See

Studebaker is today the leader in the fine-car field.

Studebaker builds more quality cars than any other concern in the world.

Buyers of fine cars last year spent over $200,000,000 for Studebaker models.

The demand for Studebakers has almost trebled in three years — as people found them out.

Then go see them. Compare them with any car you will. Don't spend $1,000 or over without knowing what Studebaker offers. You owe that to yourself.

LIGHT-SIX		SPECIAL-SIX		BIG-SIX	
5-Pass. 112" W. B. 40 H. P.		5-Pass. 119" W. B. 50 H. P.		7-Pass. 126" W. B. 60 H. P.	
Touring	$ 995.00	Touring	$1350.00	Touring	$1750.00
Roadster (3-Pass.)	975.00	Roadster (2-Pass.)	1325.00	Speedster (5-Pass.)	1835.00
Coupe-Roadster (2-Pass.)	1195.00	Coupe (5-Pass.)	1895.00	Coupe (5-Pass.)	2495.00
Coupe (5-Pass.)	1395.00	Sedan	1935.00	Sedan	2685.00
Sedan	1485.00				

(All prices f. o. b. factory. Terms to meet your convenience.)

JOE J. MICHALKA

Studebaker Dealer Cameron, Texas

THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

Photos from Wide World Photos.

OFFERS $50,000 FOR EUROPEAN PEACE ESSAYS.

Edward A. Filene of Boston, Mass. president of William A. Filene's Sons Company, has offered prizes totaling $50,000 for a series of European peace essays similar to contest recently held in the United States by Edward W. Bok. The competition is to be held among writers of France, Great Britain and Italy. Leon Bourgeois, former President the Couch of the League of Nations, has agreed to preside over the French committee, provided Senator de Jouvenel editor of Le Matin, serves as acting head. Thomas Tittoni, president of the Italian Senate, will act as Italy's chairman and Gilbert Murray as England's. The contestant may write on any subject that they consider helpful to the international peace move.

COTTON CROP REPORT TO BE MADE SEMI-MONTHLY WITH GIN RETURNS.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Proposed legislation providing for semi-monthly cotton crop reports by the department of agriculture and cotton ginning reports by the census bureau, the former to be approved by the departmental board or prescribed of membership, was agreed upon today at a meeting of the six members of the senate and house who recently organized a cotton bloc in congress. The proposed bill also would provide for discontinuance of the cotton acreage estimates of the department of agriculture based on farmer's intention to plant which were said to have brought protests from all sections, on the ground that they were not accurate.

Cotton crop reports under the plan would be issued semi-monthly, instead of monthly, between August 1 and December 1, and ginning reports would be issued "on the same day and at the same hour" as the crop reports.

The bill would require approval of crop reports by a board of at least five members, no less than three of whom shall be from cotton growing regions and have first hand knowledge of crop condition.

A statement issued by the cotton bloc after the meeting, said the department of agriculture and the bureau of census had agreed to the proposed program. Bills providing for the change in reports will be introduced in the house by Representative Swak of Oklahoma, and Rankin of Mississippi and in the senate by Senator Harris, of Georgia.

"MARRYING" JUSTICE GETS CALL FOR HELP IN HUNTING HUSBAND.

Judge Ed. Gunn, Rockdale's widely famous "marrying justice," has received a letter from a "good, all-round, home-loving widow," in Missouri, asking him to assist her in finding a huband.

The lady wrote the Judge as follows:

"I saw your name in the K. C. Star that whoever you joined together stay married. Now you must have a great power from above. I am a good-looking, good house keeper and a good all-round home-lover; love animals, love to keep cows, hogs, chickens and all farm stock; am a good business woman. Now you appear to be a godly man and able to tie the knot tight. Don't you think you could find me a good, well-to-do merchant or farmer, who wants a true companion and pal? He must not be over 50 or 60 years old, unless energetic and with means. The Lord says it is not good to live alone. I would like you to introdue me by correspondence with such a man with prospects of matrimony. I am unincumbered and he must be also."

While the affable Judge is willing to wear the championship belt as a "marrying justice," and tries to "tie the knot tight" every time, he frankly avers that he is no matrimonial agency, so he refers the letter to the Repoorter, and says if any unincumbered male citizen who can qualify for the above requeted "introudction" will apply to him he will supply him with the lady's name and address.

But remember, boys, this lady is 'from Missouri," and you know those people usually have to "be shown."

——Rockdale Reporter.

RENEWED TESTIMONY.

No one in Cameron who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Cameron man's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Cameron resident can doubt.

M. W. Mitchell, retired farmer, 503 E. Fifteenth St., says: "My kidneys were out of order and I had a weakness across my back and loins. The kindey secretions annoyed me by their irregular passage, at times being too free and then again, scanty. Very often the kidney secretions contained a brick-dust-like sediment. A friend recommended Doan's Pills and I used them. Doan's soon relieved me of all symptoms of kidney complaint."

Over Four Years Later, Mr. Mitchell added: "I feel just as kind toward Doan's Pills now in when I endorsed them before. Doan's are my standard remedy for kidney complaint."

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs. Buffalo, N. Y. (H)

Bodies of more than 100 German soldiers, postured in lifelike attitudes have been found in a tunnel between Bethincourt and Dead Man's Hill. They were bottling mineral water when stricken in a gas attack during the battle of Verdun.

FIRING SQUAD ENDS CAREER OF LAWYER.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 18.—Omar R. Woods, convicted wife murderer, was exectuted by a firing squad at the Utah state prison here at 8:17 o'clock this morning. He met death calmly and protested his innocence to the end. The killing of Mrs. Woods occurred in an apartment house here January 9, 1922.

As Woods was brought out of his cell to be taken to the court yard to face the firing squad, he told newspaper reporters:

"I am as innocent today as I was the day I was born. I am prepared to meet my maker in peace. My conscience is free and clear. I have never i nmy life harmed my wife or any other human being for that matter."

After Woods had been placed in the death chair and the hood adjusted, he again called for the newspaper men and said:

"The last thing that I do is to send a kiss to my mother, sister, to my daughter and to my daughter again."

These were Woods' last words.

Every known means of staying an execution was employed by Woods and his lawyers but all failed Woods alleged crime, that of slaying an invalid wife and then attempting to set fire to the bed upon which her body was reposing, is listed among the most gruesome of the west, and the evidence against Woods seemd so strong to the members of the trial jury, to the members of the supreme governor and to the board of pardons that each of these passed solemn sentence that Woods was guilty and must pay the penalty which the Utah law exacts.

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Cake so good that your guests ask for the recipe—

Snowdrift

SNOWDRIFT—a pure, rich, creamy cooking fat—is made by the Wesson Oil people out of oil as *good* as a fine salad oil. (You need oil that's good to eat to make cooking fat as good as cooking fat *can* be.) Then Snowdrift is packed in a truly air-tight bucket (air-tight—but as easy to open as winding the clock) to keep it as sweet and fresh as the day it was made—sweet and fresh all the way down to the bottom of the bucket.

Using Snowdrift in your own favorite recipe is the best way to find out how good Snowdrift is. Remember to add salt because Snowdrift is sweet, fresh, and unsalted—and use about three-quarters as much Snowdrift as you would butter.

MISS WHITFIELD'S *recipe for* SNOWDRIFT CAKE

¾ cup Snowdrift (substitute ¾ as much Snowdrift as butter in any recipe)
1½ cups sugar
3 whole eggs or 4 whites
3 cups flour
4 teaspoonfuls baking powder
½ teaspoonful salt
1 cup milk
1 teaspoonful vanilla

Cream Snowdrift, using wooden spoon and round bottomed mixing bowl, add sugar and cream. Add eggs and beat well, then stir in vanilla and salt. Sift flour with baking powder several times, and add to creamed mixture alternately with milk. Pour into greased loaf cake pan and bake in moderate oven or pour into layer pans and bake at a higher temperature. Ice with any desired icing or filling.

ALL MEASUREMENTS ARE LEVEL

WHERE THE RAINBOW TOUCHES THE GROUND

THE family cat died. The farmer who owned the cat, in digging the grave discovered a substance which proved to be marl. This farmer had been hauling limestone a long distance for his alfalfa fields. In conference with his county agent, he discovered that marl would take the place of lime in correcting the acidity of his soil. This experience led him to the use of marl that existed on his own farm and saved him much time and considerable expense in hauling.

Similar opportunities have existed and still exist. Many farmers in the middle west will recall what a pest sweet clover used to be. Now this pest is being used profitably as hay and pasture for livestock and as a crop to be plowed under for increasing the fertility of the soil.

Kansas is called the "Sunflower State" and those who have lived there will well remember how they have fought this weed. Today sunflowers are being grown as a crop, as feed for chickens and it is also being utilized with or without corn as a suitable crop for the silo.

It is surprising to discover how many things which were frowned upon in days gone by are now serving a useful purpose. These changes have been brought about by observation and study. Brains count on the farm as elsewhere. The man who thinks while he is performing physical work is not only opening up the way for larger profits but he is removing the word drudgery from his vocabulary and is transforming what used to be a drudgery into a profitable pleasure. —The *Banker-Farmer*.

BANKERS HELP THE KIDS

Northern Michigan Bankers are out to give the youngsters in their part of the country a lift on the road to better dairying. A group of bankers met with some of the agricultural men in their section and pledged their support in backing up calf club work.

Her Very Own Pig—A Boys and Girls Club Member

Virginia, Minnesota, Bankers have faith in "kids." Meeting with a committee from the Virginia Chamber of Commerce they formulated plans for the establishment of Calf Clubs and "Pure Bred Bull Associations." Banks all over St. Louis county have pledged their support to this work.

An Arkansas bank loaned a youngster $70, in 1920. The boy bought a purebred Poland China gilt from a breeder in a neighboring state. Being the first purebred gilt brought into the county for boys and girls club work, she has furnished more stock than any other sow in the section. With the start that the bank gave the youngster he has been able to refute the claim that hog raising in his county was not profitable, for at the present time he has more than $1000 to his credit as a result of the original bank loan and investment.

REMARKABLE SAVINGS FIGURES

Remarkable progress in the savings habit in the United States is shown in figures presented to the recent convention of the American Bankers Association by Samuel H. Beach, president of its Savings Bank Division.

In 1921, Mr. Beach showed, twenty-six million people had savings accounts aggregating $16,618,595,000. In 1922, there was an increase of over four per cent, bringing the aggregate up to $17,300,000,000. Similar statistics for 1912 showed that the aggregate was only about half as much as in 1922 or only $8,433,000,000.

Mr Beach's report on school savings banking showed that practically two million pupils are now participating in school banking systems, an increase of 34 per cent as compared with last year and 38 per cent as compared with 1921, while the total of the actual amount deposited last year was $9,618,000, as compared with $5,775,000 in 1921 and $2,800,000 in 1920, an increase of nearly 340 per cent in three years.

AN ORDINANCE.

Controlling the Slaughtering, handling and storing of meat and meat food products offered for sale within the City of Cameron; providing for the filing of name of all dealers in uncured meat products with the sanitary officer; providing character of and location holding pen and killing plant; providing for a penalty for a violation of this ordinance; and declaring an emergency.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Cameron, Texas:

FIRST.

All butchers, peddlers, barters, sellers and storers of uncured meats, within the City of Cameron, shall file his name with the Sanitary Officer, giving business and address.

Second.

All animals used for meat purposes shall be in the pens adjacent to the slaughtering plant at least twelve hours before killing same, and no over-heated, exhausted or freshly hauled animal shall be killed until completely rested.

Third.

Location of killing plant shall be where drainage conditions are good. No pools or stagnant water shall be within 400 feet of the place of killing.

Five.

a. The house used for killing shall be large enough to supply ample room so as not to be crowded at any time, and shall have an abundance of natural light.

b. The walls shall be tight to prevent water, blood and other material from collecting in crevices and cracks.

c. The floors shall be constructed of brick, tile or concrete with plenty of drainage and with ample drains to carry off all water and blood at once.

d. All openings shall be screened with wire not less than 14 meshes to the inch on tight fitting frames, and kept securely closed, except when opened for immediate operation of such business.

a. Hides and pelts and hair shall be removed from carcasses in this room and immediately removed therefrom. The hide house or pit shall be at least 50 feet from the place of slaughtering, and shall have no connecting doors.

f. All viscera, including lungs, heart and trechea, shall be removed from the carcass as soon as hide or pelts are removed, and the edible offals shall at once be removed, washed in clean water and hung on racks. All edible offals shall be immediaetly removed from the room without removing any of their contents.

g. Care shall be taken not to contaminate the carcass with dirt, bile, blood or bowel contents, but if they should be, they must be immediately washed with clean water. On final dressing, the carcass shall be removed at once to a cooling room which shall be as near dust proof as possible.

h. No hogs shall be evisciate until all hair and hoofs have been removed and thoroughly scrubbed with hot water and a stiff brush removing all dirt and sand.

i. Ample washing facilities shall be provided for workmen at all times. The spitting upon whet stones, steels and knives will not be permitted. One vessel and disinfectant shall be kept on hand in case workmen find a diseased animal. All tools used shall be immediately disinfected.

Five.

The holding pen adjacent to killing plant shall be of concrete floor and all material shall be washed from the feet and legs of animals before they are killed. The said pen and plant shall be thoroughly washed and cleaned, including all tools, buckets, etc., afte reach day's kill, allowing no meat, blood or hair to remain from one day to the next. All water must come from a well or source which is not contaminated.

Six.

No feeding pens shall be within 50 feet of the killing plant, and hogs receiving tankage, offals or garbage must not be ke, t within six hundred (600) feet of the slaughter place.

Seven.

It shall be the duty of the person or persons in charge of the slaughtering places, on the first of each month to furnish the names and addresses of all persons who have had animals killed at the plant during the past month, to the Sanitary Officer of said City of Cameron.

Eight.

a. It will be the duty of any person, firm or corporation storing meats and charging fees for the same, to furnish the Sanitary Officer of the City of Cameron on the first of each month, names and addresses of all persons using the same for each past month. b. Any store room, refigerator, ice box, or other receptacle which is called natural or artificial for the cooling of fresh meats, shall not be used to store any article except meat.

Nine.

Any person, persons, firm, firms or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than One ($1) nor more than One Hundred ($100) Dollars, and each day's offense shall constitute a separate offense.

Ten.

Nothing in this ordinance, except Section 1 hereof, shall apply to farmers killing and selling meats raised by them on their own farms, but such farmers, before offering such meat for sale, shall file their names with the Sanitary Officer in accordance with Section 1.

Eleven.

The fact that there is no adequate ordinance controlling the slaughtering, handling and storing of meat and meat food products creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the rule requiring ordinances to be read on three separate days be and the came is hereby suseffect from and after its passage and pended, and that this ordinance take publication, as required by law, and it is so ordained.

We your Ordinance Committee, respectfully recommend that the above ordiance do pass.

W. O. Triggs.

Passed unanimously this 7th day of January 1924.

Approved this 7th day of January 1924.

J. B. WHITE,
Mayor, City of Cameron, Texas.
R. D. BROWN,
Secretary, City of Cameron, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Milam.

I, R. D. Brown, Secretory of the City of Cameron, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the above styled ordinance and the proceedings relating to its adoption and approval as the same appear of record in the Minutes of Book of Ordinances of the City of Cameron.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 7th day January, A. D. 1924.

36 4t R. D. BROWN,
Secretary of the City of Cameron.

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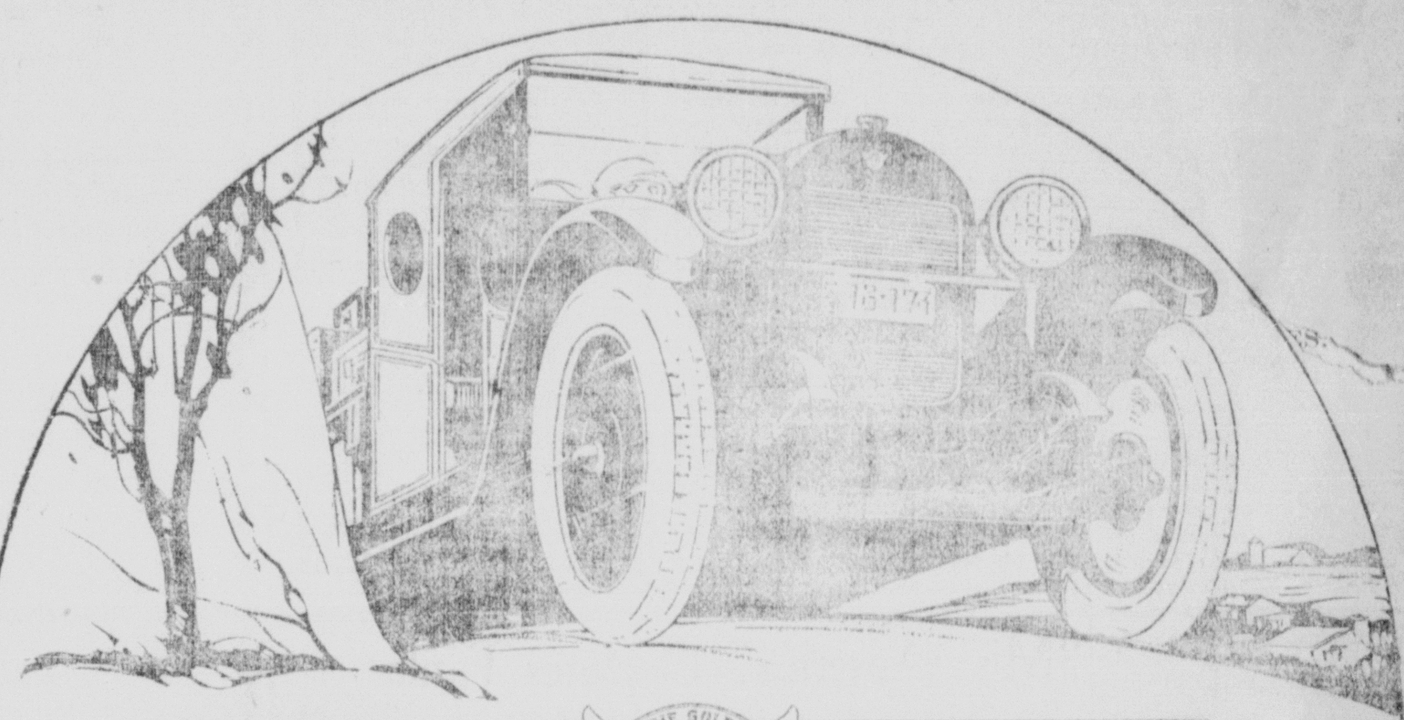

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A SOLUTION TO YOUR DELIVERY PROBLEMS

COMMERCIAL CAR buying this year will be dictated by strict economy rulings and definitely proved performance facts. Manufacturer, merchant, farmer,—every user of motor delivery equipment,—is out to buy on a pared-to-the-bone value basis. That's why Speed Wagon facts are sharply significant.

Frequency and average-load capacity (1¼ tons) loom big in 1924 buying plans. The Speed Wagon has hustleability, and is without economy-competition for carrying from 500 to 2500 pounds. Its nimbleness puts more profit-producing hours into the hauling day.

Big trucks, big investment, big overhead, big depreciation, big weight, limited roadability, slow travel, restricted service, excessive idle time,—they belong to yesterday!

Superseding them is the Speed Wagon, with: moderate size, small price, minimum overhead, negligible depreciation, relatively light weight, flexibility to suit the traffic or trunk road, power and traction to travel wherever a passenger car will go.

And to supplement: versatility to fit the haulage needs of nearly 300 lines of business; body convertibility to suit the load; service-facilities from more than 2000 Reo dealers; stability of design (10 years without radical change); centralized responsibility, because the Speed Wagon is a Reo entirety.

Parcel Delivery with panel or screen body, completely equipped - - - - $1485
Speed Wagon Chassis - 1185
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Cab Express - 1375
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TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Attractiveness

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

JAMES E. FERGUSON IS IN RACE FOR GOVERNOR

PROPOSES TO SAVE STATE $15,000,000 IN ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Proposing economy in the administration of the affairs of the State of Texas and giving in detail, item by item, the reductions he will make if elected, James E. Ferguson, of Temple, announces himself today as a candidate for the governorship of Texas.

His campaign will be pitched upon his platform of proposed economies, and by putting these into effect, Mr. Ferguson figures that he will reduce the expenses of the state government by a sum of not less than $15,000,000 and puts the question to the voters: "If you want a fifteen million dollar governor, then give me your support."

Ten years ago James E. Ferguson, at that time a banker and farmer and stock raiser, in this and Bosque counties, wholly unknown and untried in politics and never having held public office, caused a stir among the veteran political leaders of the state and excited the risibilities of several sedate Texas editors by announcing as a candidate for governor. At that time he pitched his campaign upon the tenant farmer's condition and declared for a farm rental of "A third and a fourth" abolishing bonuses and subsidies to landlords. The appeal in his platform was far-reaching and this new and untried candidate was elected by more than 40,000 majority over one of the best known and most popular pubilc men of the State.

His career in the executive office was stormy from the outset and several months after the opening of his second term as governor charges were preferred before the state senate sitting as a court of impeachment. The verdict of this court was against him but in the announcement of his candidacy at this time he contends that this verdict is invalid and will not stand a test in the courts. He couples with the announcement of his candidacy the declaration that if the state executive committee refuses to allow his name to go on the primary ballot in the democratic primary elections in July, his wife, whom he holds is equally entitled with him to vindication of the allegations made against him in the impeachment proceedings will present her name, which under the law, cannot be rejected by the committee, provided the law as to placing names of candidates upon the primary ticket are complied with.

The former governor promises to make the penitentiary system self-supporting, if the same shall be turned over to him free of debt; to get it out of debt if it comes to him under a burden of obligations; to restore the state board of pardons and treat the convicts humanely.

By putting into effect the economies he proposes he promises a reduction of taxes and rents. He explains fully in his platform how he would go about accomplishing this end. Radical changes in the state highway act are proposed by which the greater portion of the money collected by this department will remain in the counties by which it is paid to be expended upon road improvements and buildings under the supervision of the county authorities and also would use some of the highway receipts for the support of the public schools.

Vetoes are promised of all kinds of liquor legislation, whether on the dry or the wet side of the question, and another veto is promised of all attempts to raise taxation rates either upon individuals or business enterprises.

Included in the list of proposed econmies which are based upon appropriations for two year periods, is a saving of $150,000 in the expense for mileage and per diem of members of the legislature; saving of $11,400 in the executive office clerical and official force; $12,500 in the office of secretary of state; $300,000 in the adjutant general's department; and also would cut in half the appropriation for rangers, saving an additional $120,000; $70,000 in the board of control expenses; $54,600 in the attorney general's department; $15,000 in the expense for conducting the state department of education, and he says he has serious doubts as to approving the appropriation of $525,961 for vocational training to match the sum appropriated by the federal government; $130,000 in the state banking department; $28,000 in the comptroller's department; about $173,000 in the state board of health; $600,000 for topographic and hydrographic surveys; $70,000 in the department of agriculture; $58,000 in the railroad commission department; $3,000 in the industrial accident board; $62,000 in the fish, oyster and game department; would abolish the warehouse and marketing department and cut $125,000 from the appropriation leaving $50,000 to be added to the agriculture department for performing the work of the warehouse and market bureaus; $348,000 by abolishing the state fire rating board; $300,000 by doing away with tick eradication expenses; $450,000 by reduction of judicial salaries; $1,000,000 by making the state prison system self-sustaining; $500,000 by consolidating in the counties the offices of tax collector and tax assessor; $2,500,000 reductions in appropriations for the university, A. & M. and state normal and other state colleges.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Milam.

By virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Milam county, on the 26th day of December 1923, by H. M. Roark, clerk of said court against Mrs. J. H. Gandy for the sum of Two Hundred Nineteen and 14-100 ($219.14) Dollars with 10 per cent interest per annum thereon from Dec. 4th, 1923 and $21.91 attorney's fees and costs of suit, in cause No. 4900 in said Court, styled Schiller Buick Company, a firm of which A. E. Schiller is owner and manager versus Mrs. J. H. Gandy and placed in my hands for service, I. D. S. Rogers as Sheriff of Milam county, Texas, did on the 26th day of December, 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Milam county described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land being and situated in the county of Milam and State of Texas and a part of the J. A. De Pena 11 league survey; beginning N. 51 W. 65 vrs. from the S. W. cor. of J. A. Hopkins survey for the N. E. cor. of this survey and running thence S 19 W. 840 vrs. to the S. E. cor. of Elm brs. S. 11 W. 95 vrs. and another N. 88 W. 29 vrs. thence N 71 W. 900 vrs. to a cor. a hackberry tree brs. N 64 E. vrs. and an Elm brs. N. 25 W. 3 1-2 vrs. thence N. 19 E 40 to vrs to a corner an Elm brs. S. 80 W. 4 vrs. thence N. 71 W. 420 vrs. to the creek for the SW. corner an ash brs. S 88 E. 3 vrs. and an Elm brs N. 33 7 1-2 vrs, thence up the creek with its meanders as base line 640 vrs. to a corner, thence S. 19 E. 160 vrs. to the NW. cor. an Elm brs. S 88 E. 2 vars and another brs. N. 53 E. 3 vrs. thence S. 71 E. 1510 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing in all 100 acres of land and levied upon as the property of said Mrs. J. H. Gandy, and on the first Tuesday in February 1924, the same being the 5th day of February, 1924, at the Court House door of Milam county, in the City of Cameron, Texas between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. J. H. Gandy by virtue of said levy and said Writ of Execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Cameron Herald a newspaper published in Milam county.

Witness my hand, this 26th, day of December 1923.

D. S. ROGERS,
Sheriff of Milam County, Texas
By P. S. Graves, Deputy. 34 3t

COTTON REPORT.

There were 59,384 bales of cotton counting round as half bales, ginned in Milam county, from the crop of 1923 prior to January 1, 1923, as compared with 43,730 ginned to January 1, 1923,

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Miss Campbell in "Miss America" crown which she has won on two occasions.
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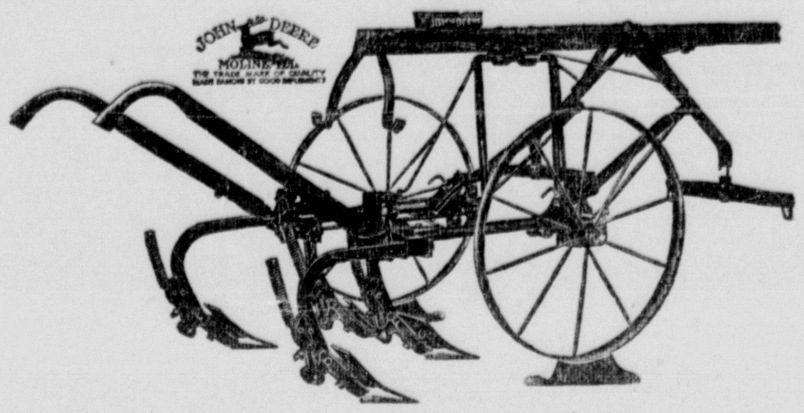

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COURT UPHOLDS PATENT SALE

U. S. Suit Against Chemical Foundation Dismissed by Judge Morris.

CONSPIRACY CHARGE FAILS

Conduct of Chemical Foundation Praised in Use of Former German Patents for Benefit of American People.

Wilmington, Del.—In a sixty-two page decision which swept away every one of the Government's major contentions as being without basis in fact or law, Federal Judge Hugh M. Morris dismissed its suit to set aside the sale of seized chemical and dye patents by the Alien Property Custodian to the Chemical Foundation, Inc.

The decision rebuked the Government for including in the bill of complaint a series of conspiracy charges unsupported by evidence at the trial and refuted by the defense as well as by documents filed by the Government.

In declining to compel the Foundation to restore the disputed patents, numbering some 4,700 and bought for $271,000, from the Government, Judge Morris held there was no evidence bearing out allegation of a conspiracy by American manufacturers to effect a monopoly through the Foundation. The court ruled that there was no evidence of fraud or deceit practiced on President Wilson, Mr. Polk, Under Secretary of State; Attorney General Palmer and other high officials of that Administration.

Garvan's Course Upheld

The opinion praised Francis P. Garvan, president of the Foundation, and its trustees, as having met the most severe of tests in their conduct of the Foundation—"the test of actual trial." They were declared by the court to afford, through their high integrity and unquestioned patriotism, a thorough assurance of loyalty to their trust. "It has kept the faith," said the court of the Foundation's work.

Judge Morris found without merit the Government's contention that the criminal laws were violated in that Mr. Garvan, as Alien Property Custodian and thereby a public trustee, sold to himself as president of the Foundation the patents in question. He had acted by direction of President Wilson and his acts, supervised by the President under the latter's wide war powers granted by Congress, could not be brought to court. Congress had not delegated legislative powers to President Wilson, as maintained by the plaintiff, and the courts could not pass judgment on the wisdom or lack of wisdom of Presidential war acts.

Judge Morris recited that although Colonel Thomas R. Miller, present Custodian, who had approved two of the sales involved, verified the complaint, in his testimony he admitted that he could not enumerate any of the facts alleged to have been withheld and suppressed from him.

"In view of this testimony and the obvious fact that the power to charge persons with fraud and conspiracy is a weapon with which serious irremedial injury may be done to innocent persons if such charges are lightly made, it is difficult to understand why the specific charges to which the foregoing testimony relates were made," wrote the court. "Yet the remaining like charges were equally lacking in evidential support. In fact, at the argument, the plaintiff seemed no longer to press these charges against the persons alleged to be conspirators, but it sought to have the charges sustained as against the officers of the Government who formulated and carried out in the public interest the plan of sale. . . . While I know of no case where by implication of law the duty of clearing itself from imputed fraud rests upon the defendant, yet the defendant has met even this burden."

Holds Wilson Had Full Power

While the Trading With the Enemy Act at first merely authorized custodianship of German properties in this country, it was later amended, recalled the Court, to give power of sale under such conditions as the President, in the public interest, should determine upon. In effect, this made the President, as agent of the nation, possessed of powers as broad as though he were absolute owner of the seized properties. Under the provisions of the act, the President was empowered to make any conditions of sale he considered necessary in the circumstances.

The sales in dispute were not made by the Custodian in his capacity as a common-law trustee, but under the extraordinary powers devolving upon him as the President's representative, under the additional sections of the act. "Because a trustee with only the usual powers may not ordinarily sell trust property at private sale for less than its fair monetary value, it by no means follows that the Custodian, acting under supervision and direction of the President may not do so," held the Court. "Obviously, the primary purpose of the act was the protection of the nation, not the benefit of the enemy. The trust was for the protection a public, not a private trust. The statute requires the President to consider the public interest. Public interest is not a synonym for money."

In this relation Judge Morris quoted from President Coolidge's message to Congress on the Muscle Shoals problem, that "while the price is an important element, there is another consideration even more compelling. * * * If this main object (low-priced nitrates for farmers in peace and the Government in war) is accomplished, the amount of money received for the property is not a primary or major consideration."

Referring to German-owned property, the court said:

"Much of this property was not innocently held or held solely for trade and commerce. Information acquired by German-owned companies had been transmitted to Berlin, and there indexed and made available to German competitors and the German Government. The files of one company were filled not with business papers, but with pan-German literature. It was a distribution centre for propaganda in this country."

Upholds Confiscation of Patents

Judge Morris pointed out that when America entered the war she adhered to the international convention forbidding poison gas, "but it soon became apparent that America would be fighting on disastrously unequal terms unless she should make use of all the dread weapons being used against her by the foe. When Germany persisted in her attempts to destroy her opponents with poison gas in contravention of all international agreements, she made it manifest that America's future safety lay in America's chemical independence. The amendment to the act was passed in the darkest days of the war (allowing the sale of seized properties). It was thought Paris was about to fall and the Channel ports be taken." These were the circumstances, said the opinion, "which impelled Congress to grant the President the broad powers of almost absolute ownership. It was the intent of Congress to subordinate mere property rights to the welfare of the nation."

Of the value of the patents sold, Judge Morris held, in accordance with the testimony, that while Dr. Carl Holderman, a German, asserted the Haber patents were worth $17,000,000 to the Germans, "the evidence is overwhelming that they were and are without substantial affirmative value to American citizens. Had these patents been sold to Americans at public rather than private sale and only the net proceeds paid to their former enemy owners these owners would have suffered an almost total loss in the value of their property."

Praises Work of Foundation

As to allegations that the sale was not to obtain a fair value, but to promote the interests of the chemical and dye industries and that the transaction was in legal effect granting a subsidy to private industry, the Court commented, "this challenge to the motives of the officers making the sale is supported, I think, neither by the facts nor the law. Mr. Polk determined the public interest would be best served by a wide use of the inventions covered by the patents. If the property was sold under terms and conditions that assured its being devoted to the public use it matters not what benefits or detriments may have flowed as incidents therefrom.

"The property is in the keeping of men who have in its management no selfish interest to serve and whose devotion to the public interest has been established," continued the opinion. "No better plan for devoting the property to public use has been suggested. The plan has stood the most severe of all tests—actual trial. The defendant has kept the faith. This it has done, not only by granting licenses in furtherance of the purposes for which it was charatered, but also at its great expense, by distribution of books and pamphlets showing the national necessity for practical development of chemical science in America. If, perchance, those heretofore engaged in the industries have derived an incidental advantage from the plan, that incidental result cannot invalidate a transaction lawfully consummated in the public interest. The same charge would lie against the validity of every tariff act. * * * The sale was in effect to America and its citizens, not to those then engaged in chemical and allied industries."

Judge Morris ruled that if the executives entrusted by Congress with power of sale acted within the scope of that power "their acts are not subject to judicial nullification or review. Invasion by the courts to determine whether the public interest required the property be sold otherwise than under the statutory conditions prescribed and to set aside the sale should the judgment of the court be different from that of the President would be a judicial nullification not only of the President's act but also of the act of Congress conferring on the President the power to determine what the public interests required. What the public interest requires depends upon the conditions existing in the nation. Courts do not understand the 'state of the Union' and as, I apprehend, are not equipped to ascertain it. * * * The statement of the reasons actuating the President does not make his act any the less an act of discretion. It is conceded the President cannot be brought into court to substantiate his reasons. The statute does not require him to disclose to the purchaser the evidence upon which his reasons were based. The statute does not limit the Executive in the assignment of reasons to such as may be supported by legal evidence or by facts available to the public."

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MAGNUS JOHNSON PRACTICES FOR PENDING WOOD CUTTING CONTEST.

Senator Magnus Johnson, having been defeated in the milking contest by Secreatry of Agriculture Wallace, has decided to get into top notch form so as not to be beaten in the wood cutting contest to which he challenged Secretary Wallace after the milking contest. Photo shows Senator Johnson and Senator Lynn J. Frazier of North Dakota, practicing wood cutting in Washington.

STRONG MAN WONDER SUPPORTS MOTOR TRACK WEIGHING 3,500 POUNDS.

In an effort to bring more forcefully to the public that he demonstrates real human strength in his past marvelous feasts of tearing chains apart and twisting iron of such thickness, Sigmund Breitbat, the Polish strong man gave a private exhibition today on the stage of the Hippodrome, to a gathering of newspaper reporters and cameramen. Photo shows one of the feats performed for the audience. The Pole is depicted supporting a motor track weighing 3,500 pounds on his chest. The motordrome is 30 feet in diameter, and the latest idea to portray to the public the strength that Breitbart is capable of.

MINORITY DEMANDS?

Disabled and incapacitated veterans of the World War in this country are entitled to every consideration, moral and financial, from both government and private sources. It is not to be regarde das an act of charity or as a gratuity, but as a duty toward a fellow man who suffered in mind and body because of service to his country. Whatever the cost, it will be forthcoming without stint.

Just what effect the movement providing for a general soldiers' bonus for uninjured men will have on the question to rehabilitation for disabled veterans cannot now be estimated, but it is held in many quarters that a bonus to an able-bodied service man is nothing more than a gift and the money so distributed will be frittered away as have been state bonuses already granted.

In view of necessity for tax reduction for all alike, including ex-soldiers, it seems hard to believe that the American ex-service man is really in favor of the bonus but rather that he acquesces in the move because of loud demand from a minority in favor of it. It is more likely that his patriotic nature rebels at the thought.

Thousands of our boys gave their lives in the great cause, leaving sorrowing families to mourn their loss, many of them having been dependent on those boys, now gone forever. It is a serious question whether these families are not more in need of assistance than the able-bodied ex-service man for whom a bonus is sought. What bonus beneficiary, able-bodied and alive, would relish the idea of his dead comrade's parents paying the tax to provide him with his bonus proportion?

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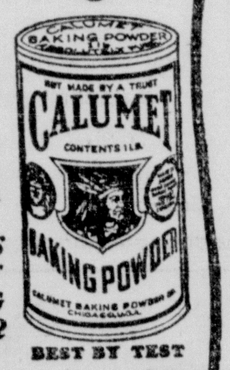

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From 1789 to 1800 our presidential candidates were selected by common consent. From 1800 to 1820 candidates were chosen by congressional caucus. With the exception of a brief four-year period during the first thirty-six years of the Republic Presidents were chosen from old Virginia families, and presidential electors were generally selected by the various state legislations.

In the early part of 1823 a group of Tennessee pioneers assembled in mass meeting at Maysville, Blount County, Tenn. At that mass meeting resolutions were adopted condemning property qualification for voters, asserting that it was the right and prerogative of American citizens to nominate presidential candidates and that the selection of presidential electors should be taken away from the state legislatures and placed in the hands of the people. This mass meeing nomiated Andrew (Old Hickory) Jackson for the presidency.

By 1828, as an outgrowth of the Blount County mass meeting, nearly all of the states selected their presidential electors by vote of the people and that year Andrew Jackson was elected President of the United States. From the time of the Blount County mass meeting dates the growth of active participation of the people in nominating candidates for the presidency.

As years have come and gone the people have become more generally informed and have increasingly asserted their prerogatives until today we have the party primary system and in many states the presidential preference primary. The sentiment in favor of personal expression became so general and pronounced that the federal constitution was amended and we are now electing United States Snators by direct vote of the people.

Our Government is not only a government of and for the people, but is, and of right should be, a government by the people. Granting that the people have the right to choose their officials from the humblest to the highest, then we submit that in order to effectively express their will it becomes necessary that they begin at the precinct primary where they have immediate power in the selection of delegates and instruct their representatives to the county convention, likewise to the state convention, and there, in harmony with previous action, the state delegates to the national convention should be instructed, otherwise there can be no certain expression of the voter who is not personally present at the several conventions necessary in the machinery of a presidential nomination.

There have always been a few people in our country who hold to the Tory belief that the people are not capable of self government, or sufficiently intelligent to participate in the selection of candidates for the office of President. I have full faith in the patriotism and intelligence of the people and am willing to abide their decision. No group of men, unwilling to trust the people in the selection of presidential candidates, is worthy of their trust and confidence. I prefer to risk the judgment of the people. Unquestionably it is the right of the people to nominate their candidates for office and in order to make their will effective it is imperatively necessary for them to begin with their first opportunity—the precinct primary—and thus insure like procedure all the way through to the national convention.

There is no certainty of dependable expression of the people's will other than through instructions emanating from them and consistently followed up. The people's judgment is apt to be unbiased, patriotic and uninfluenced by the desire of personal preferment; they are usually moved by the highest impulses.

An uninstructed delegation means nothing more to the folks at home than the surrender of their rights to be used by others as may best serve their own purpose. Often uninstructed delegations become trading stock and frequently, so far as the people are concerned, contradictory of their wish and will.

The Texas delegation to the Baltimore Convention was the direct result of instructions beginning with the precinct primary—the very essence of Democratic institutions. Let's do it again. This time for the former Secretary of the Treasury. He will make a great President. We can win with McAdoo.

WANTED—10 to 25 acres of improved land, prefered within 3 miles of Hearne or Cameron. All or part cash. What have you.
D. D. Payne, Taylor, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Joseph Zapalac, Sr., Deceased:

T. F. Criswell, Administrator, of the Estate of said Estate of Joseph Zapalac, Sr., deceased has field in the County Court of Milam County his Final Account of the condition of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as Administrator thereof, which will be heard by said court on the First Monday in February A. D. 1924, same being the 4th day of February, A. D. 1924, at the Court House of said Milam County in Cameron, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are requested to appear and contest said Final Account and application if they see proper.

Witness H. M.. Roark, Clerk of the County Court of Milam County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office in Cameron on this 8th day of January A. D. 1924.

H. M. ROARK,
Clerk County Court, Milam County, Texas.
By J. O. Hughes, Deputy 36-4t

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County—GRETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Milam county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of Walter Nash Burns, a minor, Mrs. Lizzie Burns, has filed an application in the County Court of Milam county, on the 11th day of October 1922, for the guardianship of the estate of said Walter Nash Burns, a minor, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 4th day February 1924, at the court house of said county, in Cameron, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Cameron, Texas, this 12th day of January 1924.

H. M. ROARK, Clerk,
County Court, Milam County, Texas.
By J. O. Hughes, Deputy. 37 2t

Singer Sewing Machines Sold,
Rented and Repaired
J. C. MAYFIELD
Office with Howell's Music Store.
Cameron, Texas.

Chas, W. Price
Licensed Embalmer
Lady Assistant
With Henne & Meyer Co.
Cameron, Texas
Night Phone 441. Day Phone 55

TIRE REPAIRING
Tubes and Tires repaired. Come in and get your Tire fixed up.
AUTOMOBILES REPAIRED.
Satisfactory Service to every body.
FRED MATULA
Phone 104. Cameron, Texas.

COTTON SEED CULLING MACHINE
We will operate our culling machine for planting seed again this year and will go over the county to the farms and cull your seed. Insure better stand, better staple and better cotton by culling your seed for planting.
FARMERS GET YOUR SEED READY FOR CULLING.
Richter & Laywell
Joe Richter, Phone 99.
Henry Laywell, Phone 901-8 R 3 Cameron
Cameron, Texas. Address Ben Arnold

Groceries
Phone 154 for your next groceries. Prompt Delivery Service.
Also a complete line of Shelf Hardware.
Steve Salach
Cameron, Texas.

BRING US YOUR Furs
We are in the market for all your furs—Not just a few—Bring them in we are prepared to pay you the top price for them.
FEED FOR EVERYTHING, FLOUR FOR EVERYBODY.
Esslinger Feed Store
Cameron, Texas.

Horseshoeing Prices Cut
New Machinery Arriving
This is to say that we have reduced the price of shoeing horses from $2 to $1.50 and are maintaining the service of a first class horseshoeing man.
Our New Machinery is coming in each day and our plant is being well equipped.
OXWELDING PLANT NOW IN.
Richards & Underwood
Cameron, Texas.

Drugs Excite the Kidneys, Drink Water
Take Salts at First Sign of Bladder Irritation or Backache

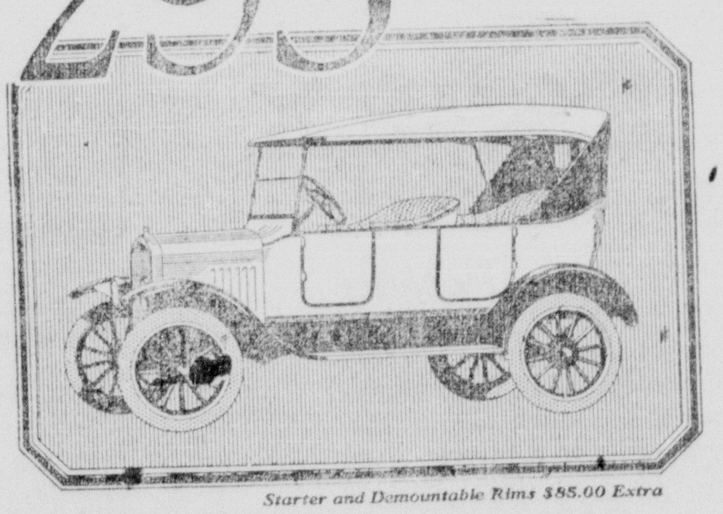
The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble because we often eat too much rich food. Our blood is filled with acids which the kidneys strive to filter out; they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, begin drinking lots of good soft water and get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

$295 F.O.B. DETROIT



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Why You Should Order Your Ford Car Now

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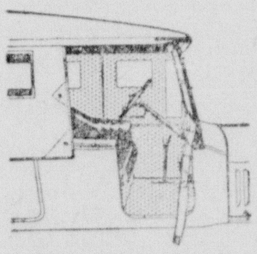
Actual retail deliveries in December, establishing a new high record for winter buying.



Considering that, as spring approaches, retail buying will become more active, there will be a greater demand for Ford Cars this spring than ever before.

Therefore, the only way you can be sure of obtaining delivery this coming spring or summer is to place your order immediately.

If you do not wish to pay cash for your car you can arrange for a small payment down and easy terms on the balance. Or you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

See the Nearest Authorized Ford Dealer

Ford Motor Company
Detroit, Michigan

Children Cry for Fletcher's
CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* on the wrapper all these years just to protect the coming generations. Do not be deceived. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

Never attempt to relieve your baby with a remedy that you would use for yourself.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Comfort—The Mother's Friend.

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Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use For Over 30 Years
The Kind You Have Always Bought
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

1924 POLITICAL CALENDAR.

The political pots are just beginning to boil, and candidates present and prospective are beginning to bestir themselves. From now until the last primary, the interest will increase more and more and the voters will be the most eagerly sought after persons to be found—that is as far as the candidates are concerned. For the benefit of all interested, we publish below the principal provisions of the laws governing the holding of elections and the right to vote.

January 31.—Last day for the payment of poll taxes. Voters must either hold a poll tax receipt or an exemption certificate. Husbands or wives may register, the one for the other.

February 18 — Commissioners' Court appoints election judges.

March 10—County Tax Collector certifies poll list to County Clerk.

April 1—County Clerk certifies to county election board poll list and exemptions by precincts.

May 3—Delegates chosen by precinct convention to attend county convention which will choose delegates to State Convention, held on May 27 to elect delegates to national convention.

June 9—State executive committee certifies to county chairman names of candidates for State office and fixes date of State Convention.

June 14—Last date of filing by candidates for county and precinct offices.

June 16—County committee decides on order in which names are to appear on primary election ballot.

June 23—Last day for payment of fees by candidates.

June 26—Within not more than thirty or less than twenty-three days before the primary, candidates and their managers shall file first expense accounts.

July 14—Subcommittee for county makes up primary election ballot.

July 6—Within not more than twenty nor less than ten days before the primary, voters who desire may arrange through a notary public to cast an absent ballot.

July 16—Last day for casting of absentee ballots.

July 14—Second statement of campaign expenses must be filed under the same conditions as those governing the first statement of June 26.

July 26.—Primary election day. Also Precinct Convention day for both Democtrats and Republicans. Election hours, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. On this date also begins the period, lasting until August 5, during which final statements of campaign expenses must be filed.

July 30—Last day for making of returns by election judges.

August 2—Returns canvassed by county committees.

August 3—For a period of ten days absentee voters may arrange for casting of ballots in second primary.

Expense Accounts—Condidates in the second primary must file their first expense accounts between July 26 and August 1. Between the dates August 11 and August 15, second filing of expense accounts must be made.

August 11—Commissioners Court appoints judges of second primary.

August 23—Second primary election.—Honey Grove Citizen.

CERTIFICATE REFUSED TO ROCKDALE RAILROAD.

Austin, exas, Jan. 19.—The Texas Railroad Commission is advised that the Interstate Commerce Commission refused to grant a certificate of public necessity and convenience to the Rockdale, Sandow & Southern Railroad, which is now in operation six miles to the Rockdale lignite mines to a point on the I.-G. N. Railroad. The fact that it will only have interstate business and correspondingly restricted earnings is given as the reason for not granting the interstate permit. The line, which is already in operation, will be privileged to continue as an intrastate carrier and engage exclusively in that class of business.

CAMERON-TRACY DEEP TEST WELL MAY BE GUSHER.

The deep test on the Battle lease six miles north of Cameron drilled by the Texas Petroleum Development company, is nearing the interesting stage.

John A. Lee, field manager of the company, reports this test at 2580 feet, drilling in Eagle Ford lime, slightly stratified with shale, being 100 feet below the Austin chalk, the formation running true and splendid prospects of getting a well at 2700 feet, or thereabouts.

Mr. Lee reports on his operations in the Cameron-Minerva field that No. 7 Neihaus, is waiting for casing and Phillips No. 2, spudded in Thursday.

This company have five shallow wells on the Neihaus that are making about 25 barrels daily. One well, nearest the creek, is to be plugged, on account of small production, but possibly will be reopened in view of the advance of crude.

LARGE WOLF TRAPPED BY MARLIN FARMERS

Marlin, Jan. 19.—A large gray wolf was captured on the T. W. Hander farm, six miles north of Marlin, early Tuesday morning by John Rachui and Berthold, his brother who set a steel trap for the animal and baited

it with a coop full of live chickens. The animal was brought to Marlin and is on exhibition at Scheef brothers' garage on Live Oak street; it is said to be one of the largest ever seen in this section. The Rachui boys had heard the howling of the wolf for several nights and decided to try to catch it. They hit on the plan of baiting their trap with live chickens, which proved too enticing for the wily wolf. The fact that it was captured in so thickly settled a community is considered a rarity

BALLOTS BURNED IN TRAVIS COUNTY.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 19.—Travis county ballots will not be available for examination in the Peddy-Mayfield United States senatorial contest.

These ballots, together with all others cast in the election, were destroyed last October. They were burned by the janitor of the county court house during the course of cleaning up the building.

FOR SALE—One block on Hefley Heights, a beautiful site for a nice home. Will sell all or part.
32-2t P. L. Bergum.

NOTICE IN PROBATE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Milam, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at leas once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Gerring Manley, a boy 14 years of age, Robt. Manley, a boy 12 years of age, and Bessie Manley, a girl nine years of age. G. W. Manley has filed in the County Court of Milam County, an application for Letter of Guardianship in the Estate of the above named children which will be heard on the 4th day of February, 1924, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Cameron at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Here fail not, under penalty of the law, and of this Writ make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Cameron the 8th day of January A. D. 1924.

Attest: H. M. ROARK,
County Clerk of Milam County.
By J. O. Hughes, Deputy. 35 3t

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When and how
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Citizens National Bank
"The Largest, Strongest, Friendliest Bank in Milam County.
Cameron, Texas.

EVANS' Corner
This corner is devoted to business, politics and general news.

Many people are suprised when they come into my office to have glasses fitted, to find there a well equipped room with modern instruments for testing eyes. Others do not know we have a law regulating the fitting of glasses.

Every person (except the Oculists and Physician) who fits glasses must have a certificate showing that he has passed the State Board of examination of Optometry.

You should be very careful about the glasses you wear.

If your eyes are causing trouble come in and have them examined.

GUS EVANS
Jeweler and Optometrist
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Ah! Backache Gone Rub Lumbago Away
Rub Pain from back with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Ah! Pain is gone!
Quickly?—Yes. Almost instant relief from soreness, stiffness, lameness and pain follows a gentle rubbing with "St. Jacobs Oil."
Rub this soothing, penetrating oil right on your painful back, and like magic, relief comes. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless backache, lumbago and sciatica remedy which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin.
Straighten up! Quit complaining! Stop those torturous "stitches." In a moment you will forget that you ever had a weak back, because it won't hurt or be stiff or lame. Don't suffer! Get a small trial botle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from your druggist now and get this lasting relief.

Keep Well!
Avoid Sickness
TAKE
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will cleanse the system, purify the blood and keep you well.
For Constipation
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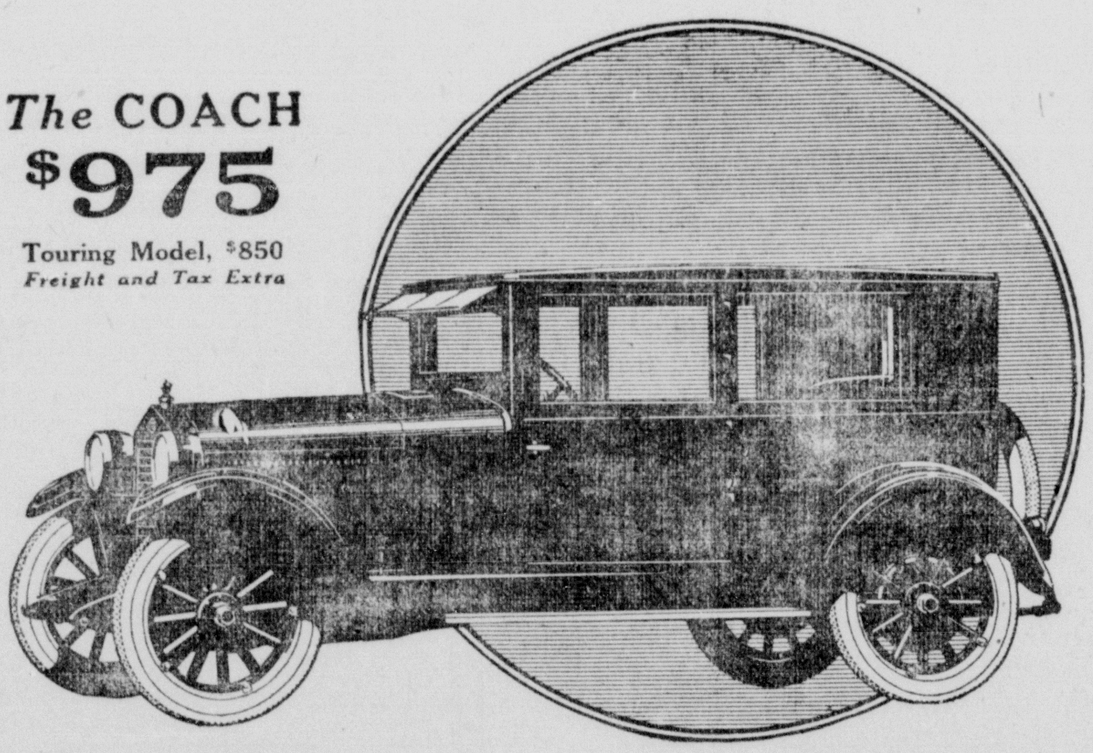

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Thedford's Black-Draught is a purely vegetable remedy, acting on the liver, stomach and bowels. It is made from selected herbs and roots, and contains no calomel or other mineral drugs.

It has been found of great value, in indigestion, stomach trouble, sick headache, constipation, and lazy liver, helping to relieve the symptoms caused by these troubles, and to put the digestive system into proper working order.

Get a package of Black-Draught liver medicine from your druggist or dealer, today. Be sure to get the genuine—Thedford's.

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